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INVASION AREA ATTACK GROWS

AMERICAN BOMBERS IN MIGHTY COASTAL BLASTINGS THURSDAY

CEASELESS PROCESSION OF WARPLANES ROCK CHANNEL DISTRICT

By RICHARD McMURRAY
Associated Press War Editor

All day long, a ceaseless procession of American bombers struck so mightily at the French invasion coast that houses rattled in England and heavy, rumbling explosions echoed across the narrow channel.

Airfields at Beaumont-Le-Roger and Cormeilles-En-Vezin were pockmarked; violent bomb crashes were heard from Calais; the angry roar of planes was the loudest ever heard in London. Air power was paving the way for invasion by immobilizing flying fields gun positions, rocket gun and aerial bomb emplacements.

Heavy Liberator bombers attacked three rail yards in France, medoums bomber airfield near Paris. Berlin said Southwest Germany was under attack.

Secy. of War Stimson declared that despite German efficiency in repairing damage, improvising communications and resorting to new tactics to preserve plane strength, the enemy is "gradually falling behind in all these processes." He said the transportation system of northwest Europe "appears to have been shaken badly" and that the nazi fighter force has been reduced until opposition has become "sporadic."

Budapest Blasted.

War factories of Budapest, four key rail centers of France and Belgium, the ripening invasion coast of France and the German chemical center of Ludwigshafen, all felt the smashing might of Allied bombers striking last night from Britain and Italy.

Today American and British air might streamed back and forth across the channel softening Germany for the invasion which Berlin now guesses will come on Monday. It was the 27th straight day of aerial invasion and the targets were assuming more and more of a tactical pattern in direct support

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BUDAPEST BATTERED BY ITALIAN BASED ALLIED WARPLANES

NIGHT ATTACK FOLLOWED BLASTING OF VIENNA AREA BY DAYLIGHT

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, In Naples, May 11.—(AP)—Allied bombers from Italian bases swept into Hungary last night and attacked Budapest, rounding out about 2,000 sorties by the Mediterranean allied air forces during the day and night, it was announced today.

The night attack followed a daylight raid by medium forces of American heavy bombers against a German aircraft factory at Weiner Neustadt, in Austria near Vienna, and against the Yugoslav railway senter of Knin, a communique said.

Thirty-three allied planes were reported missing from all the operations. At least 13 enemy aircraft were destroyed by escorting fighters, but the communique said "bomber claims have not been evaluated."

The Budapest attack was executed by both heavy and medium bombers.

In other daylight raids medium

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S-Sgt. Roxburgh Gets Decoration Of Purple Heart

Staff Sgt. Carmen Roxburgh, 24, U. S. Army, 36th Division, wounded in action in Italy February 21, 1944, has been awarded the Purple Heart decoration, according to information received by his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Roxburgh, 1719 North Beaton street.

A graduate of the Corsicana high school, Sgt. Roxburgh was a member of a local National Guard unit when it was mobilized and federalized in November, 1940. He has participated in all the major engagements of the 36th and has sufficiently recovered from his wounds to be returned to duty.

Sgt. Roxburgh recently sent his grandmother his Purple Heart decoration and four campaign ribbons.

JAP OFFENSIVE IN HONAN PROVINCE IS DIRE THREAT CHINA

CROSSING YELLOW RIVER BY INVADERS THREATENS OUTFLANK LOYANG

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNGKING, May 11—(AP)—An atmosphere of unconcealed concern spread in China today as Chinese reports told of yet another thrust on Loyang, several times capital of ancient China in Northern Honan Province, and admitted that the enemy finally had succeeded in gaining control of the full length of the Peiping-Hankow railway linking his Northern and Central forces'

The Chinese claimed they had repulsed a Japanese attempt at another crossing of the Yellow river near Menghsien, about 25 miles Northwest of Loyang.

But they acknowledged that they were battling enemy forces which had forced the river near Yuanchu, 45 miles Northwest of the city, and that a third enemy spearhead had pushed along the Lunghai railway to the vicinity of Yenshih, only about 21 miles East of the city.

The most important Japanese offensive in China since the successful drive on Hankow in 1938 already had carved out an area of roughly 60,000 square miles of territory, much of it rich wheat-growing country, and was opening the possibility of a drive on the strategic town of Tungkwan, West of Loyang at the elbow of the Yellow river. Tungkwan is the gateway to the rich Northwest.

Crossed Yellow River

The crossing of the Yellow river, a Chinese communique said, was acomplished by the Japanese in the vicinity of Yuanchu, 45 miles from Loyang, and threatened to outflank the defenders of the ancient city, already menaced by another enemy column only six or seven miles away on the Southeast.

The new Japanese thrust from Shansi not only remained the scope of the enemy operations but placed

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War At A Glance

By The Associated Press

EUROPE—Round the clock aerial offensive in 27th day. Targets in Germany, France, Belgium, and Hungary blasted.

RUSSIA—Germans report the Dnestr bridgehead wiped out.

ITALY—German artillery active Anzio sector.

CHINA—Japs continue advances North-Central China. Stilwell's Chinese troops take two more villages Burma.

SENATE EXPECTED TO GIVE QUICK APPROVAL JAMES FORRESTAL

UNDERSECRETARY OF NAVY NAMED TO SUCCEED LATE FRANK KNOX

WASHINGTON, May 11—(AP)—Speedy Senate approval was predicted today for President Roosevelts promotion of Undersecretary James V. Forrestal to be Secretary of the navy.

At the navy department where Forrestal had served with the late Secretary Frank Knox for four years it was generally expected that the main line of administrative policies would continue unchanged.

Forrestal's chief task still will be that of getting production and delivery of ships, guns and supplies on time but to this he will have to add the responsibility ob being the navy's principal spokesman to the public.

Forrestal's passion for anonymity undoubtedly will have to be foresaken now as he takes his place as a top-flight public official and cabinet member.

In his response to public prominence, in politics and in many other ways Forrestal stands in sharp contrast to the man he succeeds.

Knox was a Republican; Forrestal is a Democrat. Knox starting work as a newspaper reporter, was active in journalism and public affairs throughout his life. Forrestal, also a reporter at first, went into business, developed a business man's desire for privacy and emerged as a leading figure in his field only when he became president of Dillon, Read & Co., Wall Street Investment firm, in 1938.

Forrestal Uses Few Words

Knox was a great talker, an outspoken man who coupled high administrative abilities with constant affability. The 52-year-old Forrestal, a hard-driving worker, is an economizer of words, he deals almost exclusively in hard facts and insists that those who work with him, whether Admirals or civilian associates, deliver the facts conci-

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SENATOR REED OF KANSAS IN ATTACK POSTMASTERS PAY

TERMS PROPOSED SALARY INCREASES FANTASTIC AND UNJUSTIFIED

WASHINGTON, May 11.—(AP)—Terming proposed increases of five to 208 per cent in the salaries of postmasters "fantastic" and unjustified, Senator Reed (R-Kan) today called upon Postmaster General Frank C. Walker to investigate the payment of overtime wages to postal workers during the last year.

Reed filed a minority report attacking the pastmaster pay bill, declaring it should be held up that "a thorough investigation by the postmaster general will find negligence and incompetency to an extent that will justify the removal of hundreds and perhaps thousands of postmasters now holding office."

The Kansas contended that most postmasters had "outrageously abused" the authority given them by congress in 1942 to pay overtime for Saturday work of

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LIBERATION NUMBER JAP-HELD PRISONERS REVEALS CRUELTY

WAR PRISONERS HELD ON NEW GUIENA TELL OF ENEMY ATROCITIES

By ASAHEL BUSH

ADVANCED ALLIED Headquarters, New Guina, May 11—(AP)—Liberation of 707 Japanese-held prisoners of war by the American conquest of North-Central New Guinea was announced today as fresh accounts of the enemy's cruelty toward captives came to light.

Gen. Douglas MacArthur announced that 402 of the liberated Allies were Sikhs, Indian soldiers captured in Malaya by the Japanese early in the war. Japanese numbered 86, and the rest were Americans, Australians, Chinese, Dutch, Filipinos, Pole and Czechs. Many were missionaries and other civilians.

The Sikhs were quoted by the Australian department of information as saying they were herded like cattle on an 18-day march from Singapore, and at one place "we saw a number of Chinese who had been nailed to palm trees with iron spikes driven through their foreheads."

A Sikh named Jemadar Shingara Singh said the Japanese guards, told him that the Chinese had been suspected of helping guerrillas,

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COMMENDED—Pfc. James D. Taylor, 19, U. S. Marine Corps, is shown just after he received a letter of commendation from his commanding officer somewhere in the South Pacific. The letter signed by the commanding general of the Second Division, was awarded Taylor for his gallantry in carrying a Marine sergeant to safety on Tarawa. Stranded with the sergeant and a Mrine corporal in front of the Marine front lines, Taylor and the corporal carried their wounded buddy to safety, despite heavy Jap fire. Taylor who has two brothers in the Army, lives at 903 South Seventeenth street, Corsicana. (Official U. S. Marine Corps Photo)

VETERAN OF 36TH DIVISION HERE ON FURLOUGH TELLS OF SALERNO AND CHUNZEY PASS

"The people back home are helping win this war—without the all out support of the home folks the soldiers on the battle fronts could not win—and we are going to win—the Germans just think they are right—we know we are right—we can't lose."

This statement was made Thursday by S-Sgt. Pete McCain, "A" Battery, 133rd Field Artillery, 36th Division, now at home on a convalescent furlough after receiving a back injury near Cassino Dec. 8, 1943. He is visiting his wife and two sons, James Clayton, aged four years and Dennis Derwood, aged nineteen months.

Feeling Fine.

Sgt. McCain will return to Brooks General Army hospital, San Antonio, in a few days for a check-up and reassignment. He says he is feeling fine and expects to be back on active duty before long.

A member of the National guard when it was mobilized in Nov. 1940 Sgt. McCain, with his battery, Capt. Geo. Derryberry, battery commander, and Col. John Garner, battalion commander, landed on the beach at Salerno at 9:30 a. m. Sept. 9, 1943.

Chunzey Pass.

"My outfit was soon ordered to Chunzey Pass, between Salerno and Naples, to give support to the Rangers landed there Sept. 9, to cut the German communications between Naples and Salerno," the sergeant said. "The Rangers had encountered much stiffer resistance than had been expected and the 133rd and the First Battalion of the 143rd were ordered up to support the Rangers. From September 12 until September 29 we were under the most terrific artillery fire that I have ever encountered. Finally the British Tenth Corps arrived and we then cut the road and proceeded into Naples," the non-com said, adding "we were under constant fire from Sept. 14 until Sept. 26th."

Under High Tension.

He said that the conditions encountered at Chunzey caused the men to be under high tension and nervous and that the strain was almost unbearable at times.

According to Sgt. McCain two Corsicana men were wounded in this engagement, First Sgt. R. A. Aston and Pvt. Leon Howard.

Wearing American Defense, American Campaign, Good Conduct nad European campaign ribbons, Sgt. McCain is a veteran of fourteen years service including all his time in the National Guard prior to federalization.

After being injured he left his battery Dec. 18, 1943, and for sev-

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WAC Recruiting Drive Launched City and County

An intensive campaign to secure recruits for the Women's Army Corps was launched in Corsicana and Navarro county Thursday under the sponsorship of the local Interstate Theatres and the James Blair Chapter, DAR.

This is part of WAC RECRUITING WEEK which is being observed throughout the nation under the auspices of the War Activities Committee of the Motion Picture Industry. The campaign will last through May 17.

Co-operation on the part of the local DAR organization has been announced by Mrs. Wm. Elliott, regent, and Mrs. L. C. Polk, chairman of the WAC civilian recruiting division. A booth has been set up in the lobby of the Palace theatre and members of the local DAR will be on duty to answer questions of prospective WACs and to take enlistment applications.

"The Women's Army Corps is desperately in need of more recruits," Paul Hudgins, city manager Interstate Theaters, stated Thursday in announcing the campaign. "There can be no question that in order to win this war, the entire nation must get behind it—men and women. The woman power shortage in the Women's Army Corps must be filled, if we are to insure our victory," the manager asserted.

"Women are not joining the WACs for a change of atmosphere or because they think it might be fun—they are doing it because they know they are needed and because they want to help," Hudgins stated.

Army Planes Again Hit Truk Heavily

WASHINGTON, May 11.—(AP)—Army planes dropped 40 tons of bombs on enemy airstrips and military installations on the Truk atoll in a night attack on May 8-9, the navy reported today.

Four Japanese planes in the air at the time of the attack made no attempt to interfere.

This continued aerial hammering at Truk was accompanied by more bombings of the enemy in positions in the general area of that former major Jap base, another attack on Wake Island, and strafings and bombings of Japanese still clinging to a few islands in the Central Pacific Marshall group.

Nomination Of Roosevelt Seems To Be Assured

(By The Associated Press.)

With 533 votes pledged or claimed for a fourth term, supporters needed only 56 additional today to supply the 589 needed for renomination of President Roosevelt on the first ballot at the July Democratic convention in Chicago.

Washington Democrats may furnish 18 of these in a state convention Saturday. With action of Tennessee Republicans in picking 19 delegates at a state convention tomorrow, this will complete the week's party activities.

Although the President has declined to say anything about a fourth term, there was accumulating evidence that party faithful who want him to run again have become increasingly confident that he will accept a draft nomination.

Washington politicians were inclined to attribute significance to an hour's conference yesterday between the President and Senator Wheeler (D-Mont), one of the chief congressional critics of the administration. They counted this meeting, the first between the two in four years, as part of the harmony campaign in which party leaders have attempted to patch up the rift caused by the 1938 attempted 'purge' when Mr. Roosevelt openly opposed the renomination of some congressional Democrats.

Wheeler said politics was not discussed at the meeting, adding that he was still opposed to a fourth term. He has said in the past, however, that some party leaders have made friendly overtures to him.

Late counts on West Virginia's Tuesday primary indicated that 19 Republican delegates either openly supporting or leaning toward Dewey were leading.

Gen. Walkerf Decorated

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, May 11.—(AP)—Maj. Gen. Fred L. Walker, commander of the 36th (Texas) Division, was decorated today with the Distinguished Service Medal by Lt. Gen. Mark W. Clark.

Other men of the 36th received Distinguished Service Crosses and 18 Silver Stars.

Gen. Walker was cited for exceptional planning and direction of the division in the Salerno landing.

JAPANESE MENACE TO ALL NORTH-CENTRAL CHINA LOOMS LARGE

IMMEDIATE OBJECTIVES ARE CITY OF LOYANG AND RICH WHEAT LANDS

By RICHARD C. BERGHOLZ
Associated Press War Editor

A Japanese menace to all of North-Central China loomed larger today than at any time in six years, with the immediate objectives of the historic city of Loyang and the rich wheatlands of northern Honan province.

Chinese headquarters announced strong enemy forces have crossed the Yellow river from Shansi province at Yuanchu, 45 miles northwest of Loyang. Another Japanese army has brokenn through Hulao Pass and is within six or seven miles of Loyang from the east.

Japan's northwestern attack on Loyang threatens to outflank the stubborn defenders of the one-time Chinese capital and may force them to retreat westward to Sian, natural gateway to the present provisional capital, Chungking.

Other Japanese troops appeared to have driven the Chinese from their last htld on the Peiping-Hankow railroad but Chinese reports on te fighting were obscure.

Chinese were "nailed to palm trees with iron spikes driven through their foreheads" after the fall of Singapore two years ago, rescued Indian Sikhs related in the Southwest Pacific. The Sikhs, comprising the bulk of 707 Japanese-held prisoners of war liberated by Allied forces in New Guinea, were quoted by the Australian department of information.

American planes scored a 100-ton strike at the Wewak-Hansa Bai sector of New Guinea, and raided the Scouten Islands northwest of Hollandia, Dutch New Guinea.

Lt. Gen. Joseph W. Stillwell's Chinese troops have swept up two

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ITALIAN PRISONERS OF WAR ORGANIZED NONCOMBAT SERVICE

MORE THAN DOZEN COMPANIES BEING TRAINED FOR SERVICE

DALLAS, May 11.—(AP)—Eight Service Command headquarters has disclosed that Italian soldiers who have been prisoners of war are in training in the southwest for service in non-combat units after volunteering for service following the armistice with Italy.

Command headquarters revealed yesterday that more than a dozen companies made up of Italians are in training or being organized in this command, one in ordnance medium automotive maintenance at Fort Bliss, Texas, and ten in maintenance and petroleum engineering at Camp Claiborne, La. Two quartermaster service companies and a headquarters and headquarters detachment, Italian quartermaster battalion, also have been formed.

The Italian service units, activated in the same manner as American units, are composed of

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IMPORTANCE FRENCH TRANSPORT SYSTEM GIVEN EMPHASIS

ALLIES URGE FRENCH STAY OFF HIGHWAYS; GERMANS TO CUT SERVICE

LONDON, May 11.—(AP)—The importance of France's transport system in the impending invasion of western Europe was emphasized by both the Allies and Germans today as the London radio urged the French to keep off the highways after the attack starts and Vichy repeated that passenger train service would be but Monday to facilitate troops movements.

The Allied request to French civilians was made in a BBC broadcast of invasion instructions. It stressed that troop movements must have right-of-way.

The announcement by the German-controlled Vichy radio of the forthcoming passenger train reduction, made originally three days ago and reiterated today, caused many in London to wonder whether the Nazis were seizing the remnants of the bomb-ridden railway system for what it was worth in helping to maintain the Atlantic wall.

The latest German guess on when the Allies will strike is Monday, the same day the French train service change is effective.

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U. S. Casualties On All Fronts Reach 201,454

WASHINGTON, May 11—(AP)—American casualties in the war on all fronts now total 201,454, of which 44,778 are naval casualties and 156,676 are army.

Secretary Stimson, reporting this army total today as complete through April 28, said it included 27,297 killed, 84,321 wounded, 33,715 missing and 31,343 officially reported by enemy Governments to be prisoners of war. Of the wounded, he said, 37,009 have recovered and returned to duty.

The latest navy casualty report, which includes Marine and Coast Guard personnel, showed 19,221 killed, 12,070 wounded, 9,034 missing, 4,453 prisoners of war.

The last previous casualty report a week ago listed a total of 197841, divided 153,302 in the army and 44,539 in the navy

BRITISH CONTINUED DRIVE JAPS BACK IN INDIAN INVASION

OFFICIALLY ESTIMATED ENEMY HAS LOST 15,000 IN DEAD ALONE

By CHARLEE A. BRUMICH

SOUTHEAST ASIA HEADQUARTERS, Kandy, Ceylon, May 11.—(AP)—The British continued to drive the Japanese back from their Indian invasion today and it was officially estimated that the enemy lost 15,000 dead alone since Feb. 1 on the Arkan front of Burma, in the Imphal and Kohima areas of the Indian frontier and in the behind-the-lines engagements.

The figure excludes casualties inflicted on the Japanese by Lt.-Gen. Joseph W. Stillwell's American-trained Chinese driving down from North Burma, where the last figures showed 5,000 Japanese had been killed up to March 29.

The number of Japanese wounded during the fighting since Feb. 1 was not estimated, but Japan's total casualties were much greater than those suffered by the Al-

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NOTE FROM JAPAN ON SUPPLIES FOR U.S. POW STUDIED

WASHINGTON, May 11.—(AP)—Secretary of State Hull said today the United States has received a note from Japan giving certain conditions about picking up American relief supplies which have been waiting at Vladivostok for distribution to American prisoners in the orient.

The conditions now are being studied, Hull said, to determine their true significance.

He added that he hoped to find the Red Cross interpretation of the note—first mentioned in a Tokyo broadcast last week—that Japan now is willing to pick up the supplies to be correct.

About 1,500 tons of supplies have been sent to Vladivostok through Russian cooperation but the United States has been unable to make satisfactory arrangements with Japan for their distribution.

The note came through the Swiss government, protecting power for the United States in Japan.

Hull did not disclose the contents of the Japanese note beyond stating that it set forth certain conditions about picking up supplies.

THREE THOUSAND ALLIED PLANES DUMP 5,400 TONS OF BOMBS

EIGHT LARGE RAIL CENTERS SERVING WESTERN DEFENSE WALL HIT

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

LONDON, May 11.—(AP)—Three thousand allied planes dumped an estimated 5,400 tons of explosives on German airports and rail centers in Western Europe today in the 27th day of the great, pre-invasion assault.

In one of the strongest assaults of the war on Hitler's already-dislocated system of military railways allied formations late last night and today singled out eight large rail centers serving the western defense wall on which to loose most of their explosives.

Three of the key centers were hit in daylight today by a force of up to 250 American Liberator bombers escorted by possibly 500 Thunderbolt, Mustang and Lightning fighters, and other bombers smashed military installations across the channel.

The entire German radio network left the air about 6:30 p. m. strongly indicating a continuance of the British-American attacks after Londoners heard great formations streaking toward Europe whose ground-shaking roar was the loudest of the war.

Since the full-scale assault no the rail network behind the Atlantic wall began on March 2, the Allies have made at least 157 attacks against at least 64 rail targets. Some key points have been hit four and five times.

The Liberator thrust under cover of Lightnings, Thunderbolts and Mustangs marked the return of Britain-based American heavy bombers to the pre-invasion offensive after a one-day lay off.

Budapest Bombed.

The daylight armadas followed up last night's fourth assault on Budapest by bombers striking from bases in Italy.

Last night's heavy and medium bomber attack on the Hungarian capital came close on the heels of daylight blows yesterday in which more than 3,000 allied aircraft winging in from both Italy and

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JILTED CALIFORNIA LASS NOW NATION'S NO. 1 BRUSH-OFF GIRL

ATTRACTIVE LOUISE COZINE SAYS "CONSOLATION CLUBS" BEING FORMED

SANTA MONICA, Calif., May 11—(AP)—Fetching 21-year old Louise M. Cozine was jilted by her army sweetheart, but she didn't go into hiding about it. She's today's No. 1 brush-off girl and because of her activities—and her sense of humor—girls jilted by service men are banding together in consolation clubs all over the nation.

"Latest reports indicate we have a chapter in just about every large city," declared the attractive, 21-year old president of the Women's Auxiliary of the Brush-Off Club.

Miss Cozine read last last December an article by Hal Boyle, Associated Press war correspondent, about the formation of a "Brush-Off Club" by jilted army officers in Algiers.

"Not long before I had been jilted by a Signal Corps officer," she explained, "so to let off steam I wrote to the president of the Brush-Off Club (Capt. Howard

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WAR ANALYST BELIEVES PLANS FOR INVASION ARE NEAR PEAK; TO BE AN ALL-OUT OPERATION

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press War Analyst.

Allied bombing and other preparations for D-Day are slipping rapidly towards their peak.

It's evident that we are approaching the peak of preparedness. That's true not only in the invasion zone but in all other European theaters. For this greatest land-water-air operation of history ("Triphibian," the phrase-coining Winston Churchill calls it) is to be supported by the coordinated, all-out efforts of every fighting unit that can lend a useful hand, wherever it may be.

Everything seems to be gauged by its relation to D-Day. The recapture of Sevastopol normally would have the world on tiptoe of excitement, since it has everything that makes for drama.

Yet we measure its fall by its relation to the invasion of Western Europe.

The two events are related in a big way, for the recapture of this strategic Black Sea naval base was essential to the perfect functioning of the great Russian war machine which will come into full action again as the Allies strike in the west. The Russian fleet now will be able to give full cooperation to the projected Red offensive through Romania into the Balkans, even landing reinforcements on the Romanian coast if necessary.

Meantime the Red armies are getting set on other fronts for the concerted onslaught against Hitler's fortress, and the fall of Sevastopol will expedite this.

Over in Italy, too, there are signs of allied operations to support D-Day. The Hitlerites are looking for offensives both on the Cassino front and from the Anzio beachhead.

Berlin, feverishly trying to check on the invasion machine, reports that the southeastern coast of England swarms with troops ready to embark, and that a huge invasion fleet is assembled in channel ports. Of course, the allies don't take the trouble to deny that. You can keep D-Day a dark secret, known by perhaps six or eight people, but you can't hide thousands of ships and hundreds of thousands of soldiers.

It needs no imagination, either, to believe that the greatest armada of warships ever assembled is ready for the titanic task of convoying its precious army of invasion to the hostile shores.

TAYLOR HENRY, TEXAN, TELLS OF CONDITIONS INSIDE GERMANY THAT MEAN HARD FIGHT AHEAD

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Native of Palestine, exstudent of Texas University and graduate of West Point, Taylor Henry returned to Texas this week after internment in Germany following the break between Washington and the Vichy government which resulted in American correspondents being sent to Germany under armed guard. Henry will return to Europe after his Texas visit.

By TAYLOR HENRY
(Former Associated Press Bureau Chief at Vichy, France.)

Texas' fried chicken, turnip greens and corn bread tastes just as good as it ever did—perhaps even better after 13 months internment by the nazis inside Germany.

And the Texas climate is just as pleasant and the Texas people as friendly as they always have been.

The one sad thing is that many of my old friends are not here. Some of them are gone for the duration; others are gone forever. It is a strange thing perhaps for someone who has been imprisoned by the gestapo for more than a year, but the knowledge that those friends are gone has really brought the meaning of the war home to me.

It has brought the real facts of the struggle to me more acutely than even the facts which I was able to observe inside Germany, facts which show that we still have a long, hard struggle ahead of us.

German Morale Good.

The first and perhaps the most important thing is that German morale is good. It is good primarily because living conditions inside Germany today are still good. They are good perhaps even better today than they were in 1939 at the beginning of the war.

They are good because Germany is living off the rest of Europe. It is an essential point for us to remember that Germany has conquered and still holds three-fourths of the European continent.

It will be a hard task to convince the German people that they are beaten, that it is no longer possible for them to continue the fight, so long as they continue to dominate such a large proportion of the continent.

Equally important from the point of view of morale is the continuing respect which the mass of the German people feel for Hitler. Eleven years of insidious nazi propaganda has so impregnated the younger generations that there is

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EXCELLENT REPORTS MADE AT DISTRICT METHODIST MEETING

CORSICANA DISTRICT CONFERENCE HELD IN HUBBARD ON TUESDAY

Dawson was chosen as the next meeting place of the Corsicana District Conference and Dr. R. Otis Sory, the district superintendent, was given a rising vote of thanks for his fine work the past six years as superintendent, in the closing minutes of the District Conference held in the First Methodist Church at Hubbard Tuesday.

Dr. Sory, who is rounding out his sixth and last year as the superintendent of the Corsicana District, responded and stated that with the close of this year he would have spent ten years in this District having been pastor of the Methodist Church in Mexia four years.

The conference was called to order promptly at 9:30 a.m. and the program was so arranged that by 4:15 p.m. the conference adjourned with all business completed.

Rev. W. V. Bane, pastor at Wortham, called the roll and was re-elected secretary of the conference, having acted in this capacity for a number of years. Rev. Milton Slayden, pastor at Tehuacana, was elected assistant secretary. Devotionals were given by Rev. Roy Davis, pastor of North Corsicana church, and Rev. Kester M. Hearn of the Bazette circuit. It was announced that Rev. Mr. Hearn had been accepted as a chaplain in the Navy and would leave for his assignment soon.

Every pastor in the district was present and all made fine reports In fact many stated that the best reports in the history of the district had been made the first half of this conference year.

Waco Minister Preaches

At the 11 o'clock hour Dr. A. Norman Evans, pastor of the Austin Avenue Methodist church, Waco, preached. Dr. Evans was born in Corsicana. At the noon hour dinner was served to a large number in te basement of the church by the ladies of the church.

In the afternoon much time was devoted to reports by various committees. All showed much activity in all branches of the church work. Rev. Erwin F. Bohmfalk spoke on adult work in Christian Education; Mrs. R. Otis Sory, on children's work in the district, and C. C. Sessions, pastor at Groesbeck, on the young people's work.

Frank William,s superintendent of school at Mexia, was elected District Lay Leader, succeeding Ray Waller, superintendent of schools at Dawson. J. O. Sessions, Bazette, and H. W. Whitefield were elected associate district lay leaders.

In the report of the findings committee it was stated that there had been 364 additions to the church in the district in the first six months. Rev. A. W. Gordon, host pastor, and the membership were given thanks for entertaining the conference.

The conference was declared a success from every standpoint. The attendance was the best in years.

To Commemorate Climbers

MEXICO CITY, May 11.—(AP)—In memory of some Argentine mountain climbers who lost their lives last February attempting to bring down a Mexican flag that had been left on the peak of the volcano of Aconcagula, a solemn ceremony will take place next Sunday it was announced yesterday by the Mexican Mountain Climbers' Club.

The members of this club, with delegations from similar organizations, will place upon the rim of the crater of Popocatepetl a bronze plaque commemorating the Argentine sportsmen. Speeches will be made, military buglers will blow taps nad flowers will be dropped by Mexican army pilots.

Sick and Convalescent.

Miss Ruby White had a tonsilectomy at the Waters Clinic.

Mrs. Arthur Garrison is a patient at the Waters Clinic.

Evelyn McCulloch is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

Mrs. M. A. Riley, Wortham, is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

Mrs. B. G. Murphy is a patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

Virginia Grant is a surgical patient in the P. and S. Hospital.

A daughter was born to Mrs. Elmer Cargill at the P. and S. Hospital.

J. L. Goins has been dismissed from the P. and S. Hospital.

E. B. Dawson, district clerk, was returned home Tuesday afternoon from the Navarro Clinic. Dawson had been seriously ill for some time.



FIRST BIRTHDAY—Shirley Faye Berry, daughter of Machinist Mate 1-C and Mrs. Eugene Berry, celebrated her first birthday Monday May 8, at the family home 115 Rob avenue. Those participating in the affair included Jo Ann and Geline Hickey, Letha Jo Allred, Barbara Jean Ray, all of Corsicana and Ginger Hipps, Ft. Worth. The little honoree received many attractive gifts. Games were played and refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by Mrs. Berry assisted by Mrs. Perry Allred and Mrs. Thelma Smith. The guests joined in wishing Shirley Faye many more happy birthdays.

PRESENT BATTLE GROUND WAS SCENE OF PAUL'S LABORS*

Gateway to Balkans is Ancient Greek City Of Salonica, Entrance to Vardar Valley—Some Romantic Aspects of Place—American College Continues Paul's Work

Neglected by dispatches, because enemy occupied, Salonica—the Thessalonica—is a strategic center of the war in the east. The Greeks fought valiantly there against the Germans and the Italians, and the old city still awaits deliverance.

Even as it was in Paul's day, the great port is a place of central significance. It is perhaps the best harbor in Greece, the terminus of railroad lines and the historic approach to the Vardar Valley, up which the invasion of the Balkans must go. We need the patience of Paul as we wait the consummation of our allied labors and of Greek heroism. I wonder if the famous White Tower is still standing on the bund?

Thessalonica was so named after the sister of Alexander the Great, so its antiquity is manifest. The mental and spiritual alertness manifested during Paul's visit still survives. When it was a Turkish possession the metropolis was a revolutionary center, and the home of the Young Turks. New Turkey was born there.

A Curious Secret Sect

One curious fact about Salonica is the persistence there, after hundreds years, of Jewish sect of Dunhems, a secret religion which grew from acceptance of the claims of the Messiah of Ismir. When I was last there the Dunhems were said to keep a man with a lighted lantern patrolling the water-front looking for the returning Messiah.

The messianic hope of Salonica is nothing new. In his first letter to the Thessalonians, which we study today, Paul stressed heavily the theme of the return of Christ. The letter makes clear that the apostle expected Jesus to come again within the life-time of the Christians then living. He was mistaken, as have been all the myriads since who have set a time for the Second Coming.

An Outpost of the West

On a hill outside of Salonica stands an American mission college, carrying on until stopped by the war, the work begun by Paul. Dr. House's famous agricultural mission is also there, a notable station of the American Board. During the 1919 armistice there I had adventurous times, when I rescued from jail three American missionaries who had been arrested by stupid and suspicious authorities. Later, the Government sent over a cabinet minister, and then the king himself, to apologize. Turbulence has always been an ear mark of romantic Thessalonica.

Trouble, Trouble Everywhere

Chased out of Philippi and Berea by Jewish enemies and the mobs they aroused, Paul and Silas came to Thessalonica, where they began their evangelising work as usual, starting with the synagogue. The turbulence and danger that accompanied the first preaching of the Gospel is in strange contrast to the complacency and conventional ongoing of church work today. Perhaps a little more active opposition would be good for the churches—certainnly it would be better than the deadly indifference which is the greatest obstacle the modern church confronts.

Paul's message in this Greek city was the same that it had been elsewhere—the life and death and resurrection of Jesus Christ, the Messiah-Savior. What a Christ-centered man was Paul! To him, in fullest sense, to live was Christ. All the persecutions and hardships he endured were as nothing to him, so long as Christ could be preached. Even the riots turned out to be furtherance of the Gospel. They aroused public interest and provoked attention to the Message.

Paul's host, Jason, had his house invaded by the angry mob that had filled the city with uproar, and he was arrested and put under heavy bail. The friends of the friends of God must expect to share the enmity of His foes. The Bible speaks of "the fellowship of His sufferings."

A Friendly Letter

Before beginning work this morning I had several letters from far-scattered friends, including some from our son in the Pacific. I am sure that if we but realized the importance of letters every one of us would write at least a letter a day, especially to service men and women. What a thrill must have gone through the congregation of Thessalonica when they received Paul's first letter, which was to them not, as to us, a part of formal Scripture, but just a warm, friendly message from the absent leader who loved them, and whom they loved.

One gets a fresh appreciation of this letter by reading it in a modern translation. I recommend the Weymouth "New Testament in Modern Speech." Every Bible student should possess this readable and illuminating volume. It makes clear, in the present case, the tenderness and shepherd care of the great apostle. He was busy in roaring Corinth when he wrote; but not too busy to have in mind the needs of the converts of Thessalonica. This is a pastor's love letter, with a still living message.

SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS

Our greatest glory consists not in never falling but in rising every time we fall. — Oliver Goldsmith.

Let every man sweep the snow from before his own doors and not trouble himself about the frost on his neighbor's tiles.—Chinese Proverb.

The beauty of the house is order;
The belssing of the house is contentment;
The glory of the house is hospitality;
The crown of the house is godliness.
—Anon.

The white clouds pass; the blue heavens abide.—Menclus.

Rejoice evermore. Pray without ceasing. In everything give thanks.—Thessalonians 5:16-18.

Figs, as you see and know,
Do not out of thistles grow;
And, though the blossoms blow
White on the tree,
Grapes never, never yet
On limbs of thorns were set;
So, if you a good would get
Good you must do.
—Alice Cary.

God must have lover the common people—He made so many of them.—Lincoln.

The Sunday School Lesson for May 14, is "Paul in Thessalonica" —Acts 17:1-10; I Thessalonian.

Died At Houston.

HOUSTON. May 11.—(AP)—Larry Jewell, 47, well-known newspaperman and for the last two years public relations counsel for the Houston Anti-Tuberculosis League, died Wednesday in a local hospital, after a long illness.

To The Voters Of Navarro County

In soliciting your vote and influence in the forthcoming election July 22, for the office of County Treasurer, I do so solely on my own merits and qualifications. To those of you who do not know me personally, will say that I am 62 years of age and have been totally blind for the past 12 years, having been forced to undergo an operation for the removal of both of my eyes. Wife and I have lived in Navarro county 25 years. I do not drink intoxicating liquors, and have tried to live right by doing unto others as I would they would do unto me. I have never given up trying to work, however, my physical condition is such now that I am unable to make more than a mere existence. I have made it thus far by placing my trust in God. All that I ask and pray for is that you help me to help myself. So, if you would have any flowers that you would place on my grave when I am gone, should I be living on July 22, will you not give me the bouquet at that time with your vote? I assure you that I shall endeavor always to merit your confidence. Respectfully,

JOE E. (Blind) DANIEL,
For County Treasurer.
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FUNERAL SERVICES TUESDAY AFTERNOON FOR JUDGE CALLICUTT

Funeral services for Judge J. S. Callicutt, age 78 years, who died at his home here Monday morning following a long illness, were held from the residence Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock with Rev. E. F. Bohmfalk conducting the rites. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery and the Masons had charge of the services at the grave.

An attorney here for 57 years, he was one of the outstanding members of the Navarro County Bar Association. He was well known over the state by members of his profession and had the reputation of being one of the best known criminal lawyers in the state.

Surviving are his wife, a son, three daughters, three grandchildren and other relatives.

Pallbearers were J. A. Bonner, E. E. Bahers. W. W. Gage, Sydney Marks, A. P. Mays, C. E. McWilliams, L. M. Morton.

Corley's Funeral Home directed the arrangements.

Singers Invited to Milford.

Singers and lovers of gospel songs are invited to the regular monthly singing at Milford next Sunday. The session will be held at the Methodist church, beginning at 2:30 p. m., the pastor, Rev. B. B. Edmiaston, announces.

Two Navarro County Men Indicted By Federal Jury

DALLAS, May 9.—(AP)—W. J. Pollan and W. M. Bishop of Navarro County, Texas, and Ernest Harper and Horace P. Walters, both of Louisiana, were indicted yesterday by a federal grand jury on a charge of conspiring to steal and sell tires in violation of Second War Powers Act and with making sales of tires to five other men who were fined $250 each by Federal Judge T. Whit Davidson in connection with charges of purchasing tires with ration certificates. Among the five was Grover C. Bruner, Ellis County, Texas, who pleaded nolle contendre.

Soap Making Subject Of Pickett H. D. Club

Soap making was discussed, and Mrs. C. C. Christie displayed soap she had made by the "cold" method at the May 8 meeting of the Pickett Home Demonstration Club in the Fortner home. Roll call was answered by each woman stating the number of vegetables in her victory garden.

Members are asked to note that the next meeting will be held on May 22 in the home of Mrs. O. G. Sutton. Miss Vera Sneed, county home demonstration agent, will demonstrate brining and pickling.

Soldier and Wife Parents Baby Girl

S-Sgt. and Mrs. Cecil Hobbs, Las Vegas, Nev., announce the birth of a baby girl, Barbara Cecile, born March 25 in a Las Vegas hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds. Sgt. Hobbs is now home on furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hobbs of Rice. Mrs. Hobbs and baby had to remain in Las Vegas.

Navarro Mills Baptist.

Following are the week end services at the Navarro Mills Baptist church:

Saturday night, 8:30, prayer meeting and preaching service.

Sunday, 10:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11:30 a. m., Mother's Day service; 2:30 p. m., BTU zone meeting; 8:30 p. m., BTU and Brotherhood; 9:30 p. m., evangelistic service, subject, "God's Word on Intoxicants."—The Pastor.



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Binders are very limited, in fact we have a quota of only one, and it is sold, however, we have some two or three fair used ones that we will sell cheap, call and see them.

Get your machines in good working order while the weather keeps you out of the fields, we have a good stock of Binder and Mower Repairs and we urge you to buy them now.

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Dainty sheers, embroidered or lace trimmed, and sport pique styles! 98c
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Cuddly warmth to snuggle into! Flattering in cut with slim waistline and sweeping skirt. Graceful designs. 4.98
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Cattle Brands Are Being Sought By Club Corral

Cattle brands are wanted at once as decorative features of Club Corral, Corsicana's newest contribution to leisure-time activities of local boys and girls.

Any student of Junior or Senior High School who has a cattle brand in his or her family, is urged to copy it and bring it to the Y. M. C. A. at once in order that Mrs. D. G. Dunbar and members of the decorations committee may use if to give emphasis to the ranch atmosphere of the teen-age club. Hurry, boys and girls, cattle brands ar a "must" at Club Corral.

After an extensive "face-lifting session", Club Corral will soon be ablaze with lights and gaiety and good fellowship. Fun, frolic and refreshments will also be the order of the day, when the new teen-age center is opened for the enjoyment of Corsicana boys and girls. Watch for the date! It won't be Long now!

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Social Occasion Was Enjoyed By Members St. John's Church

Rev. Harold Warren of Hamilton was honor guest at a get-together of St. John's Episcopal church on Wednesday evening, when more than one hundred members of the church assembled for a social interlude.

Ice cream and cake were served by the ladies of the church as a concluding feature of the meeting.

Rev. Mr. Warren, who conducted a communion service at the church on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock, was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward M. Polk during his visit to Corsicana.

The Cheerful Cherub



Circle Seven First Methodist WSCS Met Monday Afternoon

Circle Number Seven of the WSCS of the First Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Gordon on Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, with Mesdames Boyce Martin and Howard Caldwell as co-hostesses. Colorful Spring flowers, artistically arranged throughout t he home, provided a cheerful greeting to the twenty-two members and twelve visitors who assembled for the meeting.

"Since Jesus Came Into My Heart", which was used as the opening number, was followed with prayer by the chairman, Mrs. T. E. Hewitt.

Mrs. J. W. David brought an inspiring devotional, using as a Scriptural background, the 91st Psalm, which she concluded with a prayer written by Mrs. R. A. Caldwell.

Much interest was shown in the lesson taught by Mrs. Wayne Craddock, which featured a discussion of Job.

A routine business session was held with Mrs. Hewitt presiding, and all committees giving splendid reports.

Contest members were counted with the "reds" out-numbering the "blues". Mrs. John Cunningham gave the benediction.

Mesdames Tom Benton and Sallie Fendley were welcomed into the Circle as new members during the social hour which followed the program. The hostesses served an appetizing refreshment plate as the concluding feature of the afternoon.

Cold Soap Making Demonstration For Chapman Ranch Club

After an informative program on soap and the part it is playing in the war, a demonstration on making cold soap was given by Mrs. Floyd Groves at the Chapman Ranch hime demonstration club in the home of Mrs. Williard Mayo May 5.

A short business meeting was presided over by Mrs. D. B. Bennett. Mrs. Joe Saunders gave a report on the visit to Mildred club meeting, in the home of Mrs. J. E. Gilmore.

Three new members were introduced: Mrs. Bob Lowe, Mrs. Mack Bell, and Mrs. Ben Clay. Mrs. Hardy Mayo and Mrs. Adrion Mayo were guests. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. Homer Rendon will be host to the May 19 meeting when Mrs. Cecil Johnson will lead a program on "Post War Planning."

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Daughter Born To The Henry Zubes

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Zube are parents of a fine 7 pound 14 ounce girl, born Tuesday at the Corsicana Clinic. The young lady has been named Peggy Jean and she and her mother are doing nicely.

The grand parents, are Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Zube and Mrs. Don Sawyer.

Women of Different Churches In Kerens Hold Mission Study

KERENS, May 11.—(Spl.)—The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church met Monday afternoon in the church auditorium for Bible study, with Mrs. Hugh Barlow as teacher of the book of Phillippians. Others taking part in the study presentation were Mrs. M. L. Speed and Mrs. Finis Hodges.

The WMS of the Baptist church met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. F. Queen with Mrs. V. D. Bruner leading the mission study on "The King's Work in the Middle Kingdom" (China.) Mrs. Jess Barnett was devotional leader and Mrs. Ben R. Cherry, Mrs. Horace Newsome, Mrs. Doy Cloud and Mrs. Russell Carroll brought talks on the chosen subject.

Beginning Monday, May 15, the WSCS of the Methodist church will begin a course on missions with Mrs. Maggart Howell, secretary of missionary education, in charge. The book to be studied is "For All Life," by W. H. and Charlotte Wiser. Mmes. T. L. Whorton, G. H. Sandes, Jack Fite, Andrew Talley, Calvin Glass, A. R. Keen will assist in the teaching.

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Alathean Class In Annual Mother's Day Tea Friday Afternoon

The annual Mothers' Day Tea of the Alathean Class of the First Baptist Church will be held at the home of Mrs. Travis Fullwood, 1600 Sycamore, on Friday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. Each member of the class is urged to invite a mother to attend as her guest.

A splendid program has been arranged for Friday's meeting by Mrs. George Miller. Mrs. J. J. McColpin will have charge of refreshments, and Mrs. R. R. Range will arrange decorative features of the afternoon.

MENUS

By CHARLOTTE ADAMS

Eggs Creole

(Rationed Items Are Starred)

Eggs Creole
Rice
Spinach Salad
Citrus Fruit Cup

(Recipes Serve Four)

Eggs Creole

- 4 tablespoons shortening
- 1½ tablespoons flour
- ½ cup milk
- 2 tablespoons onion, chopped
- 2 tablespoons green pepper, chopped
- 1 cup stewed tomatoes
- 1 clove garlic, mashed
- ¼ teaspoon chili powder
- 4 hard-cooked eggs, sliced
- ¼ cup cracker crumbs
- ★1 tablespoon margarine
- ★½ cup grated cheese
- 1 teaspoon salt
- ⅛ teaspoon pepper

Make white sauce of two tablespoons shortening, flour and milk. Add seasonings. Cook onion and green pepper in rest of shortening until soft, but not brown. Add tomatoes, garlic and chili powder. Cook until thick. Add to white sauce. Place alternate layers of sauce and eggs in greased two-quart casserole. Sprinkle cheese over mixture and top with the cracker crumbs, which have been greased with margarine. Bake for 20 minutes in preheated 350° oven.

Spinach Salad

- 1 cup broken lettuce
- ½ cup spinach, shredded
- ½ cup raw carrots, shredded
- ¼ cup diced celery
- 4 radishes, sliced
- 1 tablespoon minced onion
- ¼ cup French dressing

Rub bowl with a clove of garlic. Put all vegetables together in bowl and just before serving, pour French dressing over and toss until well mixed.

Personal Mention Of Kerens Folk

KERENS, May 11.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Arlie Dobbs and son, Be[illegible]; Mrs. A. R. Carroll of Or[illegible] spent the week end in Ke[illegible] with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mullins and Ted Berry spent Sunday in Itasca in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Westbrook and family. They were accompanied home by Marianna Westbrook, who will spend the week here.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Sanders spent Wednesday in Tyler.

Mrs. Ben Strodes and son, Benjamin, of Fort Worth spent the week end in Kerens with the former's sister, Mrs. W. T. Stockton

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett McCluncy are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Graham Wylie and family in Tyler this week.

Mrs. C. W. White, Mrs. E. K. Howell and sons, Douglas, and Elmin, Jr., Mrs. E. H. Gray accompanied Mrs. A. R. Carroll to Dallas Monday.

Jack Bain visited his sister, Mrs. Harry Hervey, in Dallas over the week end.

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Rule Announced For Camp Fire Girls Spend-Night Party

Camp Fire Girls who plan to participate in the spend the night party at Camp Wanica on Friday evening, are requested to bring a signed release from their parents, relieving the transportation company of all responsibility. Those who do not bring the release properly signed will not be allowed to become a member of the party. Mrs. Ferma C. Stewart, executive, announced today.

Girls are requested to meet at the Camp Fire Cottage on Friday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock with their bedroll, their supper packed in a box or bag, and two eggs and two slices of bacon for their breakfast.

Mrs. Stewart states that they will return to Corsicana about 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, according to present plans.

About 50 girls are expected to enjoy the al fresco outing, Mrs. Stewart said.

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Frost Baptist SS Classes In Meeting Here On Tuesday

The TEL and Alathean classes of the Frost Baptist church met in monthly class meeting and luncheon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. D. P. Cagle on West Thirteenth avenue Tuesday. Rev. Mr. Cagle, Baptist associational missionary, formerly was pastor of the Frost Baptist church.

Among those attending were Mesdames B. R. Etheridge, G. E. Moore, George Morgan, W. J. Halcomb, J. W. Matlock, A. J. Merrell, J. E. Stack, E. E. Ellington, J. A. Chamberlain, T. S Hooser, T. H. Stockard, Charles Ratliff, Buddy Jackson, J. M. Haynes, W. G. Jenkins and W. Q. Burns, all of Frost, and Mesdames Falter Hayes, E. D. McCormick and A. M. Estes, all of Corsicana.

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Demonstration In Canning For Girls Club of Zion's Rest

Miss Eva Williams, assistant home demonstration agent, canned some pineapple in a fruit canning demonstration given for the Zion's Rest girls, 4-H club Tuesday, May 9, in the home of Dorcas Ann Montfort, president. The agent told how to select the fruit, and the step-bystep procedure in canning. Booklets on the subject were distributed among the members, and each girl received a book entitled "I'll Feed a Fighter and Myself." The May 23 meeting will be in charge of Miss Edith Mitchell, sponsor.

Junior-Senior Banquet.

The annual Junior-Senior banquet will be held at the State Home Friday night at 8 o'clock, it has been announced by Moyne L. Kelly, superintendent.

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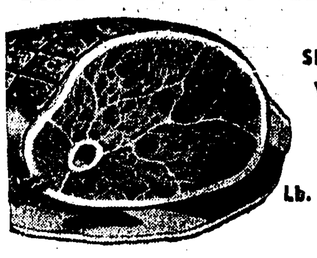
1. Accept the daylight wrap for bread, coffee and other pre-wrapped foods without being sacked.
2. Return paper bags for your own re-use.
3. Bring your own shopping bag or basket.
4. Save newspapers, waste paper for salvage committee.

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Hams Butt Ends ..... Lb. 33¢
Hams Shank Ends..... Lb. 31¢
Picnics Smoked..... Lb. 30¢
Bacon Slab ..... Lb. 31¢
Bacon Dry Salt..... Lb. 21¢
Liver Beef Unblemished ..... Lb. 35¢
Hearts Fresh Beef..... Lb. 19¢
Lunch Meat Spiced, Sliced..... Lb. 49¢
Loaves Baked, Asst..... Lb. 32¢
Hamburger Meat Lb. 24c
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Spare Ribs Lb. 22c

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RENOWN Pork & Beans 28-Oz. Can...17¢ Points Per Can—15

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Coffee Airway..... 2 1-Lb. Bags 41¢
Coffee Fine Quality Edwards..... 1-Lb. Bag 25¢
Oxydol New No-Scrub..... 24-Oz. Box 23¢
Ivory Soap ..... 3 Lge. Bars 29¢
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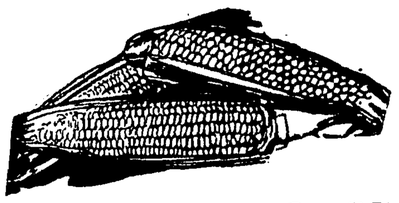
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V-3 Cleaners For Pots and Pans .. 10c Size 7¢
Cocc_ Rockwood's..... ½-Lb. Bag 11
White Magic 1-2 Gal. Jar 19c
Cleanser Sunbrite, 13 Oz. Can 5c
Snowdrift Shortening, 3 Lb. Jar 67c
Flour Harvest Blossom 25 Lb. Bag $1.23

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STUDENTS PRESENT PLAY AT MEETING OF CIVITAN CLUB

A group of students from Corsicana high school presented the play, "Happy Journey" which won second place at the regional interscholastic league contest in Dallas, before the Thursday noon luncheon meeting of the Civitan club in the Navarro hotel.

The cast of characters included: Billy Pugh, Pa Kirby; Corky Bunch, Arthur Kirby; Carrolyn Kelton, Ma Kirby; Bobby Waddell, stage manager; Joyce Franklin, Bulah; Carolyn Bule, Caroline Kirby. M. S. Cook was the director, and Helena Juengermann, property manager. The play was authored by Thornton Wilder.

It was announced that Carrolyn Kelton who interpreted the part of Ma Kirby, won second acting honors for girls in the regional meet.

Guests at the meeting were Alan G. Harper and Moyne L. Kelly, Jack Paul, Mrs. W. E. Waddell and Mrs. Samuel Fleming. The Rev. Jack Goff was in charge of the program.

American Sponsored Post-War Aviation Program Accepted

LONDON, May 11—(AP)—An American-sponsored plan for international civilian post-war aviation control based on the four freedoms of the air—the right to fly, to land, to discharge passengers, mail and cargo, and to pick them up anywhere in the world—has been accepted by Great Britain as the basis for future discusion.

Lord Beaverbrook, Lord Privy Seal, who was charged by Prime Minister Churchill to form a post-war aviation program for the British Empire, said yesterday that England had "reluctantly" abandoned a Canadian proposal which would have allocated routes and services. The United States had objected to the plan as too rigid for discusion at an international conference to be held later this year in Washington, at which an international convention on air navigation will be drawn up.

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Today on the Home Front

By JAMES MARLOW AND GEORC ZIELKE

WASHINGTON, May 11—(AP)—Charles Michelson has been a short order cook in a political kitchen, cooking with gas. Now he's whipped up a book about it, "the ghost talks." A little mustard, a little butter, and served up cold.

It's a chiller, if you're idealistic. But at this time it's a good book to read.

It will have done a service if it makes voters think twice about some of the products coming out of the political publicity ovens between now and next November.

Until about a year ago, when he retired to a consulting basis and went to work on this book, Michelson had been publicity director for the Democratic National committee since 1929.

He's an old man now. He sounds tired. Maybe that's why there's no great fervor in his book for anyone or anything. He calls himself merely a "political technician, a press agent."

His job was to try to make the Democrats look good and the Republicans terrible. "It was all quite lawful, if oblique," he says.

But still it's startling that he could turn out 238 pages and say so little of what he felt or thought of the principles of Government envolved during the important years between 1929 and 1943.

Perhaps he explains why when he says "people vote for men rather than for principles."

He makes it plain that he regards political publicity as a shellgame. Now you see, now you don't. His stuff moved under his own by-line. Not all of it. He could write to order on the drop of a hint.

Isn't this a good spot for Senator Blunk to say something for or against something? Call Charley Charley wrote it. Senator Blunk in all solemnity delivered it as his own.

You may be sure Michelson has his counterparts in the Republican camp at which he enjoyed heaving banana skins.

But politicians on the inside must have been spooky sometimes even for a ghost like Michelson. He mentions the possibility that some of his own people planted a spy at his elbbow.

There is little in the book for which Democrats can frown at Michelson. He lived off them a long time and he isn't biting their hand, at least not hard enough to draw blood.

He swipes at Herbert Hoover. But he was hired to do that when Hoover was still President. So he's consistent. He takes a few not-too-heavy pokes at the Presidential favorite, Harry Hopkins, and seems to wonder what the Hopkins' charm is.

Any chance that politics could get a thorough laundering? Michelson cocks a calm eye at the world as he knows it, grins a little, and murmurs something vague about "the misty future."

Eighty-five per cent of the world's production of nickel comes from Sudbury, Canada.

DEWEY OPPOSED TO POLL TAX LAWS; ASKED FOR AID

ALBANY, N. Y., May 11—(AP)—Governor Thomas E. Dewey today asserted his opposition to poll taxes "and every other device to deprive free people of their votes."

Dewey, prospective Republican nominee for President, sent a telegram to Walter White, secretary of the National Association for the advancement of colored people, at Washington, which said:

"I have your telegram concerning the fight against the poll tax now pending in the United States Senate. My views on this subject are well known. I have always fought against the poll tax and every other device to deprive free people of their votes."

White telegraphed Dewey yesterday, requesting him to use his "strategic position in the Republican party" to influence Republican Senators to support a cloture motion which would forestall a United States Senate filibuster on the anti-poll tax measure now pending in that House. The bill has passed the House of representatives.

A vote on the cloture resolution is expected Saturday, and the roll call on the cloture motion is expected Monday. A two-thirds vote is required for adoption.

White told Dewey yesterday that "23 Republican Senators have to date either refused to indicate how they will vote or said they will vote against it."

White added that if the 23 voted affirmatively, there would be at least 60 votes for cloture and passage would be asured.

Barkley Back in Camp.

WASHINGTON, May 11—(AP)—Majority leader Barkley (KY) paved the way today for a show-down Senate vote next week on the poll tax isue by filing a debate-limiting cloture petition bearing 29 signatures, headed by his own.

Under Senate rules, two-thirds of the voting Senators are required to put cloture into effect and forestall a further filibuster by Southern Democrats against a final vote on the anti-poll tax bill itself.

Proponents of the House approved measure outlawing the levy as a requirement for voting for federal officers have indicated their intention to abandon efforts to push it through the Senate if the cloture move fails on a roll call vote Monday. Cloture, seldom used in a Senate jealous of its right to unlimited debate, would restrict further discusion to 96 hours.

Opponents of the measure contend not more than 38 of the 96 members will support the so-called "gag rule."

A. AND M. DIRECTORS MAY DISCUSS NAMING OF NEW PRESIDENT

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., May 11—(AP)—A special meeting of the Texas A. and M. College board of directors will be held here Saturday.

The purpose of the meeting was not disclosed.

HOUSTON, Tex., May 11—(AP)—Selection of a president and director of the extension department of Texas A. and M. College will probably be discussed by directors of the College at a special meeting called for College Station Saturday, acording to F. M. Law, president of the board of directors.

Law called the meeting to "transact necessary routine matters that the board did not care for during the recent meeting in Austin, "he explained.

Numerous posible persons for the positions have been considered by the board, he said, but they have not gotten down to consideration of any one application for either place.

He declined to name any of those being considered.

LIBERATOR PILOT KILLED; CO-PILOT USES HIS HEAD

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS, Naples, May 11.—(AP)—When anti-aircraft fire killed the pilot of a Liberator over Wiener Neustadt yesterday, the co-pilot, Lt. Ira F. Shober, 23, of Weston, Wyoming, brought the crippled bomber to a safe landing by having the crew use their parachutes as brakes.

The plane was so badly damaged that Shober could not use the brakes or flaps to cut down the speed for landing, so he ordered the crew to open their parachutes out the waist windows. This slowed down the big bomber sufficiently to permit a landing and the surviving crewmen jumped out without injury. The bombardier and the nose turret gunner had bailed out over Austria.

Those whom Shober brought back safely included Top Turret Gunner Robert F. Temple, 23, Dallas, Texas, and Tail Turret Gunner Staff Sgt. William W. Summers, 20, of Rusk, Texas.

Make Handley Found Dead.

Make Handley, former ballplayer, was found dead in Waxahachie Thursday morning, according to information received here. The deceased was a brother of A. S. Handley of Corsicana.

Sick and Convalescent.

Mrs. Nazz Slone is reported slightly improved at the Navarro Clinic.

Production of lumber for military purposes in 1943 was estimated to be short by four billion feet.

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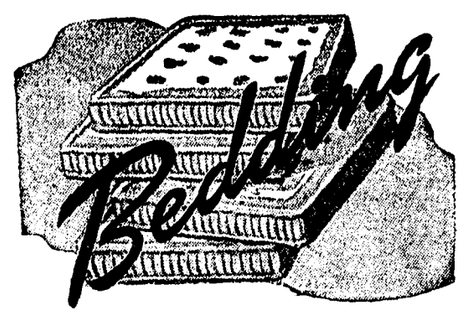
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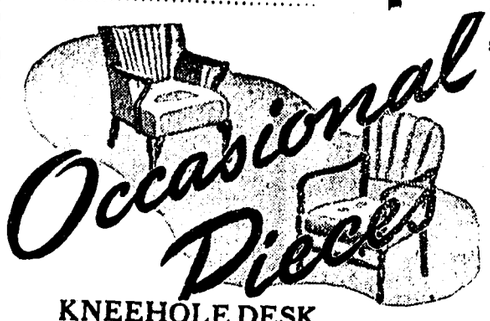
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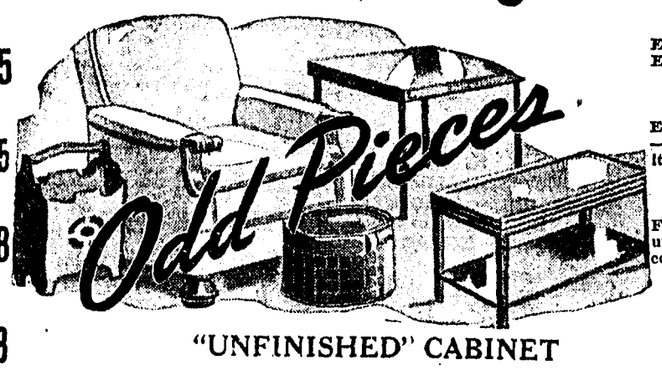
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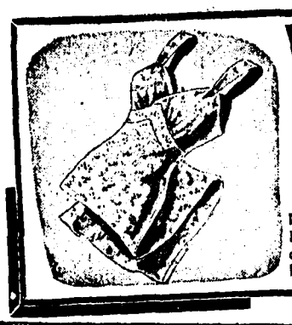
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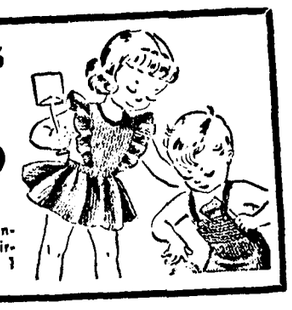


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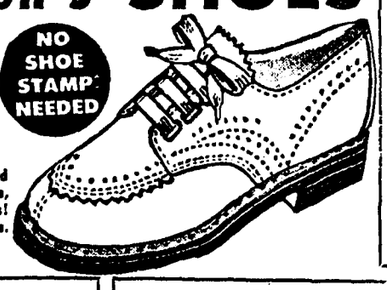
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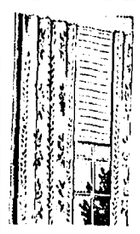
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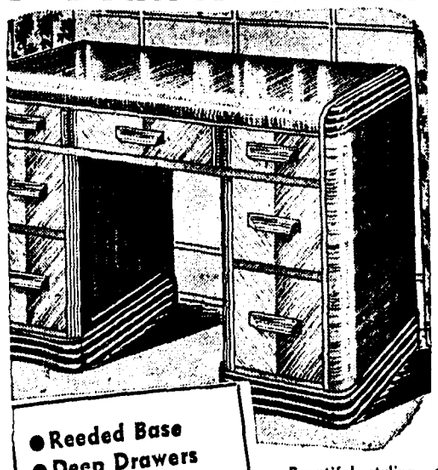
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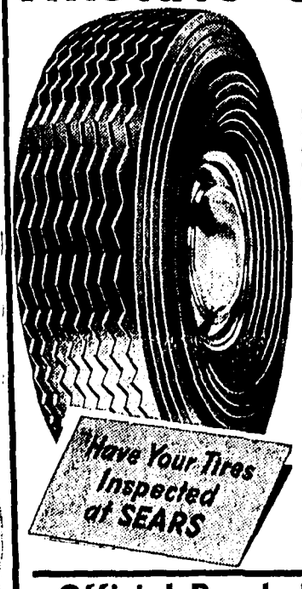
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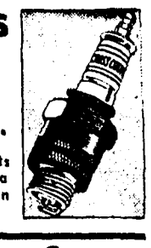
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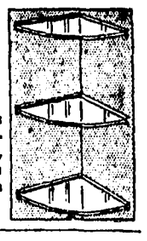
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HEROES

For the most part, the American people have taken this war rather calmly, but lately there seems to be a surge of hero-worship. And no wonder, when so may of our ardent young men — and some not so young—are engaged in such heroic deeds. The greatest and most dangerous of wars finds American youth ready for it, physically, mentally and spiritually. They don't shrink from the horrors of this highly mechanized fighting, where combat becomes so largely impersonal and men seldom see the whites of their enemies' eyes.

Mostly this war seems to be merely a competition in killing. But there is one branch of combat that remains personal and glamorous, matchng the traditions of the knights of old, in a sphere that gives warfare a third dimension. This is the air service, the most dangerous and also the most vivid of present-day fighting. It demands all there is of energy, courage, endurance, skill and patriotism.

And how the American people respond to its thrills and victories! A recent view of public appreciation was the spontaneous outpouring of 15,000 people in Pittsburgh, roaring their appreciation of "Commando" Charles E. Kelly, who has just been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor. As is usual among our heroes, Kelly was struck speechless. But men like him don't have to talk. Their deeds speak for them.

WHERE TO FIND IT

Frederic J. Haskin, who has died at 71, built up a great information service, syndicated to newspapers, as well as supplied to individuals by mail. He undertook to answer any answerable question, and hired hundreds of investigators to search the Library of Congress and elsewhere for the answers.

Many who consulted Haskin did not know that they could have had the same service without stirring out of their own town, by asking their public library. Libraries nowadays are not merely storehouses of books, offering light fiction to those in search of recreation. An even more important function is information.

If you want to know whether the 20th wedding anniversary is cotton, tin or cream cheese, or who said "Give me liberty or give me death," ask your librarian. She can get you the answer, often at once. That is one of the things she is there for. It is foolish not to make use of library services.

In short, every town that has a public library has its own Haskin.

VALOR

The Nazis boast of their hardness, but the examples of heroic resistance against odds are all displayed by the United Nations. The battle of Britain, the sieges of Sevastopol and Stalingrad have no Nazi counterpart.

Before long they will have their chance to show what resolution they have, and it will be surprising if they do as well.

Everybody should realize that it may not be over, over there, for quite a while yet.

That man de Gaulle certainly has plenty of it.

Edgar A. Guest

CORNER CONVERSATION.

Who takes them in and brings them out
The Navy!

Who makes Herr Hitler do without?
The Navy

Who sinks the subs and sweeps the mines,
Keeps open all the traffic lines,
And feeds the Army when it dines?
The Navy!

Who does the fighting on the shore?
The Navy!
Who'll lead the March to Tojo's door?
The Army!
When ships have fired their final blast,
And planes their last few bombs have cast,
What force will win the war at last?
The Army!

Who gets there first on sea and land?
The Marines!
Wires: "Situation well in hand"?
The Marines!
Who likes the going when it's rough,
Is known for being "plenty tough"
And has of what it takes, enough?
The Marines!

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Decide this argument who could?
Other than say; All three are good!

BATTLE FOR THE WORLD

The Russians, even while still cleaning up their job at Sevastopol, are reported as "Geared for the Berlin Drive." They marshal and regroup their forces and turn west to smash the Nazis literally where they live.

Meanwhile the British-American armies, still in England, are poised and putting the last touches on their approaching drive across the Channel to hit Berlin from the west. The two Allies will aim to crush Germany between them. It may be a fierce but friendly competition to see which gets to Berlin first.

Fortunately the Allies of the East and those of the West at last seem to understand each other, and will be joined in friendship as well as strategy. There is no more of the standing off and ignoring or "needling" each other, such as caused alarm a short time ago. Whatever the inner differences were, they seem to be patched up. It would have been deplorable indeed if in this great and possibly final struggle between freedom and tyranny, minor differences were allowed to prevail.

The most important thing in the world just now is for the Russians, British and Americans to stand together and win the decision.

FICTION COMES ALIVE

Sherlock Holmes, who never lived, is more alive today than thousands whose names have been found in "Who's Who." New proof is given by the recent publication of no less than three books, in addition to a good many that have appeared previously, on the great detective and his biographer, Dr. Watson. This is not just a literary stunt. As far back as World War I, American and French soldiers on furlough in London asked above all to see the home of Sherlock Holmes.

Alexander Dumas could tell a like story. When he was shown over the island prison of the Chateau d'If, he was gratified to find that the tour included the cell of Edmond Dantes, the Count of Monte Cristo. And to many Americans visitng London, Mr. Pickwick is as real as Dr. Johnson.

Truth is not only stranger than fiction. Sometimes it seems less real.

AERIAL JEEPS NEXT

The last war had its "flivvers" and this war has its "jeeps." It may be ungrateful to make invidious comparisons. Obviously the jeep is a far better and more useful vehicle than the old Ford ever was, but that fact merely indicates the progress of the times. Come peace time, and jeeps may soon be as numerous and pestiferous as beetles.

There will be then only one way to freedom from such vehicular nuisances. That will be, to take to the air. The requisite aerial joy-rider will not be long delayed. American youth is probably busy now, planning the air jeeps.

NOBODY'S TELLING THEM TO STOP



SPRINGER HEARD BY CORSICANA BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD BODY

R. A. Springer, Dallas, secretary of the Texas Baptist Brotherhood, and treasurer of the Texas Baptist convention, was the principal speaker Tuesday night at the meeting of the Corsicana Baptist Associational Brotherhood at the First Baptist church. Springer urged brotherhoods in all churches, after pointing out figures of the number of congregations without Sunday Schools, training unions, WMS Wednesday prayer meetings, brotherhoods or pastors. Most of his remarks were directed toward a program that will challenge the best efforts of men.

After stating that Texas Baptists were contributing more than $2,000,000 to missions this year, he said that was not such a big program as there are 800,000 Baptists in Texas in 3040 churches.

While 160 missionaries have been brought home from foreign fields and are speaking and working with home churches, Springer pointed out there are 900 Baptist chaplains from Texas in the armed forces of the nation.

The June brotherhood meeting will be held at the Calvary Baptist church in Corsicana. Judge R. A. Ellis of Waco, district president, spoke briefly. E. L. Brown of Corsicana is president of the associational Brotherhood. Others appearing on the program were E. J. Lane, song leader; Leroy Barlow, pianist; Rev. M. O. Cheek, Waco, district missionary; D. P. Cagle, Corsicana, associational missionary, and Rev. J. I. Cartlidge, pastor of the host church. Representatives were on hand from Frost, Kerens, Calvary (Corsicana), Mildred, Navarro Mills, Emhouse, Bazette, Dawson, Farmer, Memorial (Corsicana), First (Corsicana), and North Side (Corsicana.)

LIVESTOCK SHOW CATALOGUE ALMOST READY FOR PRESS

The Corsicana Livestock and Agricultural show catalogue for 1944 is nearly ready to go to press, and H. B. Bomar started soliciting subscriptions for it Wednesday morning, according to announcements made by R. G. Dillard, manager of the chamber of commerce. The catalogue will contain all the classifications, prize lists, all fair departments, and rules and regulations of the show, and will be available to anyone who wishes to subscribe for it.

Due to the fact that the fair has been enlarged greatly, and a war srow added the catalogue will be the largest in years, according to the fair committee. "Any cooperation given Bomar in getting subscriptions to this catalogue will be appreciated by the fair officials" Dillard stated.

Two Women and Marine Injured.

BENEVIDES, May 11—(AP)—Two women, and a marine, en route to Laredo to the bedside of his sick mother, were seriously injured when their automobile overturned near here late yesterday.

The injured were Mrs. Anita Marie McCuen and Mary Jane Yoemans of Corpus Christi, also en route to Laredo, and Pfc. Pilar R. Cantu, USMCR, who was picked up here by a naval base ambulance following the accident.

The use of lumber for military purposes in 1043 alone was more than there times the total used in World War I.

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Air Forces Hero Honored Tuesday Corsicana Field

The postrumous award of the Air Medal for Tech. Sgt. E. H. Kemp, Mertens, U. S. Army Air Forces, to his wife, Mrs. Rita Kemp, at Corsicana Field at 6:30 p. m. Tuesday was largely attended by friends and relatives from Hillsboro and Mertens.

Full military ceremonies were accorded the air hero and the presentation was made by Major L. S. Dysinger, commanding officer.

The citation relating to the award follows:

"Technical Sergeant Kemp displayed outstanding and exceptional achievement while participating in a bombing mission on an important Japanese supply base on August 21, 1943. After completing the bombing run, the formation was heavily attacked by over fifty Japanese heros. In his position as radio-operator gunner, he shot down three enemy aircraft. As a result of extremely accurate fire, the attackers were finally forced to withdraw. Technical Sergeant Kemp's actions and accomplishments were in accordance with the finest standards of the Army Air Forces."

A previous award of the Purple Heart had also been made to Sgt. Kemp, according to Lieut. Louis R. Renfrow, public relations officer.

Powell Girl Directs Songs For Sorority Musical Comedy

Harriet Emerson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Emerson, Powell, will direct the student-composed love songs, and novelty numbers at the Theta Sigma Phi's eighth annual musical comedy in the Hogg auditorium at the University of Texas on May 11-13.

Last year, Miss Emerson, who is a senior music major, took the campus presentation. "Time Staggers On," on an army camp tour and has earned for herself the title of "Veteran."

The combination violinist, pianist, and directoress is now busy transposing tunes into appropriate keys for the vocalists, and arranging the music for her orchestra.

The Arabs and Persians compiled portaions of their calendars according to the migrations of birds.

CREAGER ENDORSED BY REPUBLICANS IN CONVENTION HERE

Navarro county Republicans endorsed R. B. Creager of Brownsville as national committeeman; Hugh Exum, Amarillo, as state chairman, and Herman Duncan, Kaufman, for work for the party, it was stated. Delegates were selected to the state Republican convention.

Mose Blumrosen, Corsicana, was endorsed as a delegate to the national convention to be held in Chicago, June 26, with the Texas delegates to go uninstructed.

"We wish to pledge to the American people our best efforts in further prosecution of the war to a successful conclusion under the leadership of a Republican president," another resolution said.

The resolution committee was composed of Hugh Loper, Sid O. Hyer, C. E. Smith, W. L. Roberts, Mose Blumrosen and H. O. Thornton.

Delegates to the state concention to vote as a unit are W. D. Bartlett, Rice; W. A. Conner, Dawson; Hugh Loper and Mose Blumrosen, both of Corsicana; Sid O. Hyer, Frost; H. O. Thornton, Robert Pardee, Sr., and Foster Nelson, all of Corsicana; W. E. Butler, Purdon, and C. E. Smith, Kerens. Alternate delegates are W. T. Shearrer and John Bacton, both of Corsicana, and J. H. Fite, Kerens.

Richland Soldier Wounded in Action

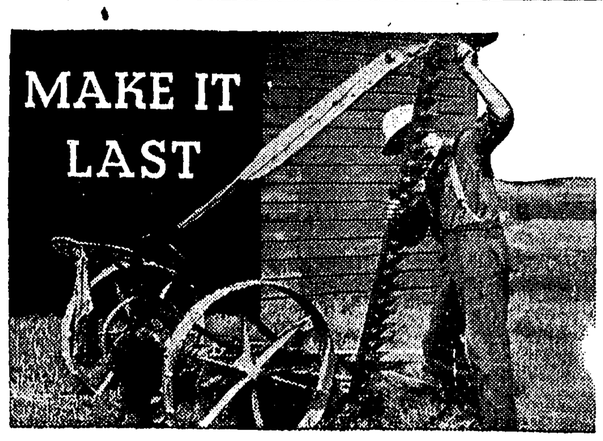
Pvt. James E. Baldwin, 22, U. S. Army, was wounded in action in Italy April 9, according to a telegram from the war department received by his wife, Mrs. Pauline Baldwin, Corsicana Route No. 1. No details were given.

Entering the service January 29, 1943, Baldwin went overseas in May 1943.

A veteran of the North African and Sicilian campaigns, Baldwin was a member of the U. S. army invading Italy and has been in the front lines every since landing on Italian soil. He was wounded at Cassino.

A brother, Pvt. Lloyd H. Baldwin is an engineer in the U. S. Army Air Forces stationed in New Guinea. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Baldwin, Richland Route No 1.

The father served fourteen months overseas in the first World War.



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TEXAS WACS SERVING IN ENGLAND SEE THE SIGHTS ON DAY OFF

THREE HOUR BUS TOUR PAST INTERESTING PLACES IS FAVORITE

HEADQUARTERS EUROPEAN THEATER OF OPERATIONS, May 9—(Spl.)—Texas WACs stationed in England are hard workers—whether they're driving a jeep or plotting bombing missions over Germany—so they look forward with excitement to their one day off a week.

They can be seen in the London museums, in Petticoat Lane, where on Sundays everything from shoe laces to overcoats is peddled in open carts, cycling in the country with knapsacks on their backs and a favorite spot is the American Red Cross Women's Service Club.

Relax in Lounge.

Here the WACs relax in the lounge, listen to an American "juke" box in the snack bar, play ping-pong or dance. WACs who are on call 24 hours a day—and a few WACs handling especially important jobs, work a 16-hour night shift every five days—go to the club in the evening after work, lean back in an easy chair and listen to the phonograph.

For the army policy of making available varied recreational facilities pays off dividends of increased physical and mental fitness for its women as well as its men.

Sgt. Maxime M. Bosworth, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Bosworth, 4931 Dudley street, Dallas, secretary to Brig. Gen. Royal B. Lord, European theater of operations headquarters, says, "It's my second home. We all feel that way."

Red Cross Dances.

When the Red Cross plans weekly dances in the Columbia Club, attended by servicemen and women, it consults a WAC recreation director on the arrangement.

The same is true of the movies—free of charge to servicemen and women—shown daily under sponsorship of Army Special Services, and three times weekly at the Red Cross Club. A WAC member is in a group that previews the movies.

The majority of WAC recreational activity is unplanned.

First Sgt. Freda B. Watson, sister of Mrs. B. B. Haley, 4201 Cedar Springs street, Dallas, shows Texan ingenuity in planning a sightseeing tour which is not a walking marathon. Sergeant Watson, who as "top kick" keeps the wheels rolling smoothly in her detachment, sightsees from the upper deck of a London bus.

The favorite bus of the WACs is one that makes a three-hour tour past Westminster Abbey, and Big Ben, through Picadilly Circus, the City of London, and along the Thames.

Sgt. Watson has been in the army 20 months. She was formerly stationed at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Before she joined the WAC she did secretarial work for Republic Insurance Company of Dallas She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watson, Ratcliff, Ark.

Another Dallas WAC in England is Corporal Margie Stalcup, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stalcup, 1011 Elsbeth street.

When Corporal Stalcup came to London on her most recent offtime from the Headquarters Eighth Air Force Command, where she works as secretary in the adjutant's office, she proved herself an old-timer in the city.

Cpl. Stalcup listened to the speakers in Hyde Park, where opinions on all possible subjects are aired from a soap box; she fed the pigeons in Trafalgar Square, and bought a bunch of jonquils from a flower vendor's cart.

The armed forces are well represented in the Stalcup family. Corp. Stalcup has three brothers in the service. Robert is a first lieutenant with the American Air Force in Africa; Herbert is a private first class with the Marines in the Southwest Pacific, and James is an army private, stationed in the states.

Before enlisting in the WAC Cpl. Stalcup was a stenographer for Sears Roebuck in Dallas.

Tea Party.

There's a new version of the British tea party now that Texas WACs are in England.

Duty corporal for a WAC billet in London, Cpl. Maudie Fay Bennett, 23, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Bennett, 604 Pecan street, Sweetwater, Texas, is hostess every evening to at least ten WACs. Tea and toast are made over a spirit stove, popcorn is munched sitting cross-legged on the floor, and Texas pecans sent from home are the finishing touch.

Corp. Frances Calhoun, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Calhoun of Edna, Texas, is a regular member at these sessions. Cpl. Calhoun, formerly a city secretary in Edna, is clerk-typist in the publications department.

Corsicana WAC.

Other Texas WACs who sip tea and eat jam tarts at these London tea parties are Cpl. Mildred A. Anderson, daughter of Mrs. Eva Anderson, 2004 College street, Fort Worth; Sgt. Jean A. Thompson, 405 Graustock street, Houston; Cpl. Bessie Truitt, 415 Mesita avenue, El Paso; Cpl. Jessie T. Wells, 1500 Woodlawn avenue, Corsicana, and Pfc. Erdith V. Farley, Texas State Hotel, Houston.

FUNERAL SERVICES DAWSON WEDNESDAY FOR J. H. BRUCE

Funeral services for J. H. Bruce, aged 83 years, pioneer resident of Dawson, who died following a stroke in Fort Worth Tuesday, were held Wednesday afternoon at Dawson. Burial was at Hubbard. Mr. Bruce was visiting in Fort Worth at the time of the stroke. Mr and Mrs. Bruce had resided in the Dawson vicinity for more than a half century. Mrs. Bruce died April 17.

Surviving are nine sons, J. E. and O. H. Bruce, both of Hubbard; Ben Bruce, Waco; Jack Bruce, Fort Worth; Ed Bruce, Corsicana; Lafayette Bruce and Oscar L. Bruce, both of California; Arthur Bruce, West; and Charles Bruce, Dawson; four daughters, Mrs. H. J. Thomas, Dallas; Mrs. M. Onstott, Mrs. J. Dave Ponder and Mrs Ed Spurgeon, all of Fort Worth; a number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren, and a sister. One granddaughter, Mrs. Ethel Hook, is assistant Navarro county attorney, Corsicana.

Mrs. Claiborn Simpson spent the week-end at Blackland Army Air Field, Waco, where she visited her husband, Stf. Sgt. Simpson.

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EDGAR ALLEN GRAY DIED AT ODESSA; BURIAL BE HERE

Edgar Allen Gray died Tuesday at Odessa and the body will be brought here for burial. Funeral services will be held from the Sutherland - McCammon Chapel Saturday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. J. I. Cartlidge conducting the rites. Burial will be in Oakwood cemetery. Masons will have charge of the services at the grave.

Surviving are his wife, Odessa; a son, Edgar Allen Gray, Jr., Odessa; two sisters, Mrs. Jolly Johnson, Paul; Mrs. Ollie Langham, California; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Gray, former residents of Corsicana, but now of Odessa and other relatives.

HENRY

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virtually no one in Germany today younger than 26 or 27 years who can conceive of any other regime for Germany than Hitlerite nazism.

The Years of Starvation.

Secondly it is explained by the memory of the older generations of the lean years of the 1920's the years of unemployment, the years of starvation. They contrast that pre-Hitler period with that of today and even after four years of war they draw a comparison favorable to Hitler's Germany.

German morale has not been broken. Only a miracle will produce an internal German collapse. The German army is still a fighting army. We have got to get it out of our heads that we can win the war through a German internal collapse such as came in 1918. It means that we have got to win by force of arms.

During 13 months internment in the reich I had an unusual amount of freedom under the circumstances. We were allowed to take long walks in the Black Forest, to go on all-day picnics, where we stopped at little inns and were able to come in contact with the people.

Overheard Conversations.

We were allowed to go into the town of Baden-Baden on shopping expeditions, to the barber shop, to the dentist, to the doctor, to church. While there was always one gestapo guard with us, it was impossible for the guard to prevent our overhearing conversations, to even talk with people ourselves.

It was certainly impossible to prevent us from observing the life of the people, their clothes, their food, the articles offered for sale in the shops.

In addition we were allowed some seven German newspapers daily as well as two published in France and one in Belgium. You will realize that a close analysis of such publications covering both national and regional press can give a reasonably good insight into conditions.

Sometimes we were able to obtain more or less confidential information.

By all of these means we were able to put together a composite picture of Germany today.

BRUSH-OFF CI UB

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Hammersley, Jr., of Roanoke, Va.) and said there ought to be a woman's auxiliary."

A subsequent Boyle column carried her letter and the response, she said, was "terrific." Not only did some 30 local jiltees rally around her to form an auxiliary chapter here, but letters came from cast-off sweeties in more than 60 cities, in nearly all states, asking about organization procedure.

More than 300 service men also wrote to endorse the idea of an auxiliary and to plead for correspondence. Some two dozen, from privates to majors sent Miss Cozine proposals of marriage "but they all sounded too matter-of-fact, as if I were desperate," she said.

Disney Designed Pin.

Miss Cozine hopes for a formal coast to coast organization with a charter issued to each local group and membership cards, stationery and pins bearing the insignia designed for the auxiliary by a Disney studio artist—a teardrop splashing against a broken heart.

Auxiliary members hold an informal meeting every other Thursday night at her apartment. Club paraphernalia includes a "rogue's gallery"—a bulletin board full of photos of ex-sweethearts, with no name but a prison-like number under each.

Club business used to be mainly a swapping of heartbreak stories, but now it is usually about the next scheduled entertainment for servicemen. There's a large army redistribution center in a swank beach club here, so with approximately 10 men for every girl the jiltees aren't exactly pining away.

Miss Cozine hopes the auxiliary can publish a newspaper to spread such morale services among other chapters and print jiltees' letters.

EUROPEAN WAR

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of Gen. Eisenhower's eager armies.

As if expecting an Allied thrust toward Rome, German artillery pumped 4,000 shells into the Anzio beachhead in a half-hour Tuesday night and laid down strong fire on Fifth army positions at Cassino. There was no further word of advance near the Adriatic by the Eighth army.

All Quiet In Russia

All was quiet on the Russian front. Moscow said two 4,000-ton transports were sunk in the Black Sea off Sevastopol, the capture of which was called a happy augury on the "eve of great events". In a week, the Russians said they had destroyed 300 German planes.

Marshal Tito said he had smashed a general German offensive in Central Yugoslav and freed large areas of Serbia despite opposition of the Nazis, 40,000 Bulgars and Mihallovic's Chetniks, serving as German "lackeys."

Up to 500 flying Fortresses smashed again yesterday at the durable Messerschmitt assembly plant at Weiner Neustadt near Vienna and 29 of them were lost. British medium and heavy bombers struck the Hungarian capital of Budapest. The Mediterranean air forces in 2,000 flights yesterday also assaulted the Yugoslav rail center of Knin and the line between Rome and Florence. In all 33 planes were lost and at least 13 Nazis were downed.

R A F Night Attack

The RAF flew "in strength" against the railways of Lens and Lille in France and of Gent and Courtrai last night. Military objectives on the French coast were hit hard; mines were laid; Mosquitos deposited two-ton bombs on Ludwigshafen in the Rhineland. All these operations cost 15 planes. At least 20 objectives in France and Belgium were ripped up by hundreds of daylight attackers yesterday.

German Ambassador Franz Von Papen returned to Istanbul after telling Hitler why the Turks cut off Chrome shipments. The Allies said Italian forces in the lines now included "whole battalions of all the famous units of the Italian regular army." The Germans mouthed frequently and loudly about the strength of their anti-invasion defenses' The London radio urged the French to keep off the roads when the invasion begins.

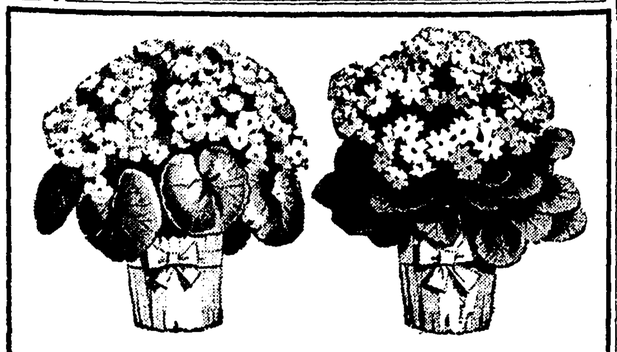
STOCKHOLM, May 11.—(AP)—Apparently striking a mine, the 10,000-ton German freighter Odin sank last night just outside the harbor at Narvik, Norway.

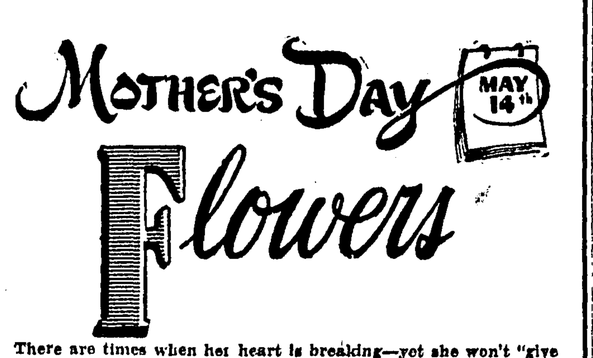
Advices from Kiruna, Sweden, said the vessel was carrying a cargo of Swedish iron ore to Germany. Sixty or seventy Germans were said to have been lost.

Spring Plant Sale Discontinued

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COUNTY NEWS

Barry

BARRY, May 11—(Spl.)—S-Sgt. Elvin J. (Buddy) Powell of Myrtle Beach, S. C., visited here over the week end.

Mrs. A. M. Russell, Billie Jo, Marie Loyd and James Douglas Ragsdale went to Denton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powell, Mr. and Mrs. Woodward and daughters, June and Sandra, of Sherman, were here over the week end.

Mrs. Carroll and family of Emhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gay, and Mrs. John F. Reed spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed.

S-Sgt. R. R. Varnell returned to Walker Army Air Field in Kansas, Wednesday.

Carroll Weaver of A. and M. College was here for the week end.

Mrs. Owens returned home from an extended visit in Louisiana.

Franklin Luther of Beaumont was visiting his parents this week end.

Mrs. Vernon White and daughter have gone to Brownwood to visit her parents.

Pvt. Pete Livingston is home on a furlough from Smyrna, Tenn.

Cadet James Douglas Ragsdale is home on a 30-day furlough.

J. D. Russell of Houston was here one day last week.

Cpl. and Mrs. Leone Reed of Mineral Wells were here Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Luther Tanner has gone to Fort Knox, Ky., to be with her husband.

Miss Mary Marie Mitchell of New Orleans is home on a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Mitchell.

Miss Julia Kate Parks of Dallas spent the week end here.

Joe Worsham of Fort Worth was here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Caskey and children of South Texas returned home and Mrs. G. P. Wilson accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Harris of Corsicana visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Young Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harris of Emhouse visited their mother, Mrs. T. L. Robison, and other relatives Sunday.

Billie Ragan of Lubbock Tech visited his parents this week end.

Mrs. J. M. Powell of Chandler is here for a visit in the home of Mrs. T. L. Robison.

Percy Varnell and Braxton Ragan have gone to Tennessee to work.

Streetman

STREETMAN, May 11.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McSpadden spent the week end with relatives in Fort Worth.

G. C. Middleton of Dallas visited friends here Tuesday.

Mrs. P. C. Milner and Mrs. Jack Cooper were Corsicana visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Marberry and children, Peggy and Fred, Jr. of Corsicana visited Mr. Marberry's sister and family, Mrs. Coy Oneal and Mrs. Marberry's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gilbert, Sunday.

Miss Marjorie Jenkins of Dallas spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jenkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Vivian McDaniel, Mrs. James Coleman and Miss Martharene Glass of Fort Worth were guests in the Stump Allen home Sunday.

Mrs. John L. Bonner and Harry Glenn Bonner, Mrs. R. G. Bounds and Gene Alan Bounds were business visitors in Corsicana Friday.

Miss Evelyn Lee of Corsicana spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lee.

J. O. Cherry of Fort Worth is spending his vacation with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Cole visited relatives in Navarro county Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Glass and son, Grayson, of Sweeney joined their daughter and sister, Mrs. James Coleman and Miss Martharene Glass of Fort Worth here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and son of Fairfield were guests Sunday in the Thomas Sherrard home.

Rev. and Mrs. D. L. Gibson of Seminary Hill, Fort Worth, were here Sunday. Rev. Mr. Gibson preached at both services at the First Baptist church.

Mrs. Max Simpson has returned from San Diego, Calif., where she has been with her husband, who is expected home on furlough this week end.

Sgt. and Mrs. Thomas K. Sherrard of Stark, Fla., are on furlough, visiting their parents, Mr and Mrs. Thomas Sherrard and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Steele. Sgt. Sherrard will report to a camp in Maryland.

Blooming Grove

BLOOMING GROVE, May 11.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Vick of Apple Springs, and Kermit Cumpston of Dallas spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Fred Cumpston.

Sgt. G. W. Patterson of Idaho and Seaman Jimmy Patterson of Corpus Christi have been home on furlough this week.

Mrs. R. L. Walker returned to her home in Louisville, Ky., on Monday. She has been the guest of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Walker, for two weeks.

Sgt. Elvin J. Powell of South Carolina is here this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Powell.

Mrs. J. M. Grant spent several days this week with her daughter, Mrs. T. M. George, Jr., in Corsicana.

J. C. Glenn and J. L. Bell, Jr., were here two or three days this week. Mrs. J. L. Bell, Sr., returned with them to their home in McAllen after spending a month here with her mother, Mrs. A. A. Glenn.

Jeff Grady of Longview was visiting friends here Sunday.

Clark Wilkinson of Longview was attending to business here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor were in Oklahoma City Saturday and Sunday visiting their son, Frank Taylor, Jr., who is stationed at Cimarron Field.

Miss Frances Huffstutler of Fort Worth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. E. Huffstutler.

Mrs. R. W. George, Mrs Blake Gillen and Mrs. Miller Reid were in Dallas Friday and Saturday.

Miss Zelda Brown of Corsicana was visiting her family, the E. L. Browns, Sunday.

Pvt. Frank E. McPherson is now stationed with the U. S. Signal Corps at Ft. Monmouth, N. J., and writes that he is enjoying his assignment.

Frost

FROST, May 11.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hawkins and baby of Orange are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Smith.

Mrs. E. D. McCormick and children of Corsicana were Frost visitors Saturday.

Mrs. E. J. Sheppard, Jr., of Roane spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sheppard.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Atchley of Rice spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mitchell of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mitchell and children of Wortham spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Frank Mitchell.

Mrs. C. C. Stevenson of Corsicana is visiting Mrs. J. F. Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Merrell spent Sunday with her parents in Corsicana.

Misses Beatrice Jones and Lizzie Rae Osborne and Mrs. Virginia Freer were in Dallas Saturday.

Mrs. C. O. Brown and Mrs. E. J. Hightower spent Thursday in Hillsboro.

Miss Glenn Allen left Wednesday to visit her husband in Kansas.

Mrs. Hershel Keathley of Hillsboro visited relatives in Frost Tuesday.

Rice

RICE, May 11.—(Spl.)—Col. W. L. Wilson of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. T. S. McCorkle of Fort Worth were recent guests of their sister, Mrs. J. P. Lackey.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Caldwell of Fort Worth visited friends and relatives here last week.

S. F. Swafford and daughter, Miss Scottie Swafford, of Dallas visited here over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Bledso of Georgetown spent the week end here. Rev. Mr. Bledso has accepted the pastorate of the Methodist church and will move here about the first of June. He will come each Sunday and preach at 11 o'clock and hold vesper service in the afternoon at 4:30 until he moves.

Miss Marjorie Brewer of Dallas was here Sunday, a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Brewer.

Sgt. Cecil Hobbs of Las Vegas, Nev., is here to visit his parents and be with his brother, Capt. Dichard L. Hobbs, who is here on 30-day leave from overseas.

Tom Fortzon remains ill at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gallemore and children of Fort Worth were guests in the J. H. Hays home Sunday.

Miss Nolaine Bartlett of Santa Ana visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bartlett last week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Fitzgerald have had word from their son, Pvt. Milly Joe, who has been stationed at Sheppard Field, that he has been transferred and is now pleasantly located in Madison, Wis., where he is taking a course in radio.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Robinson of Strawn are guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Nail for a few days.

Mrs. A. Shelton and children of Berger are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Smith.

Mrs. Ben Easterling of Chatfield and Mrs. Shelton have goen to Houston to visit their brother and family, Bartlett Smith.

Tupelo

TUPELO, May 11.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Boyd McMullan of Louisiana spent a part of last week with Tupelo relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mitchell who were visiting in Wichita Falls were called home on account of the illness of their daughter, Mrs. R. M. Bowden, who had a major operation in Corsicana. She is getting along nicely.

Pleas Mitchell and wife returned to their home in Holliday Friday afternoon, after spending a few days here.

Sgt. Leon Owen, who has been in Iceland for some time, is at home on furlough.

Mrs. A. B. Smith of Wichita Falls is here for a few days with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Gaitin visited in Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

R. H. Wheeler and family visited Mrs. Garner at Roane Sunday.

Roane

ROANE, May 11.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Shelton of Corsicana spent the week end with Mr and Mrs. J. W. Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holloway of Orange are visiting in the home of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Tramel of Bazette visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Voss Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Wylie visited in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs H. Gray Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Knotts visited Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Bush and daughter of Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jones and family and Mrs. Mattie Jones visited relatives at Murchison recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burrow and daughters, Billie Jean and Jacquelan, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Townsend recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burrow and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Price of Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Owens visited relatives in Corsicana Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Gilcrease and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Varner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs G. M. Gilcrease and family.

Edith and Alice Gilcrease visited Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Varner of Kerens Saturday and Saturday night.

Margie Stringer visited friends at Roane Wednesday through Saturday.

Black Hills W.M.U. Met Last Monday

Mrs. Guy Poach taught the Bible study lesson at the Black Hills WMU meeting May 8 in her home. Mrs. O. S. Rich opened the meeting with a prayer, and Mrs. C. M. Stover gave the devotional on the "Orphans Home" from the book of James. A letter of thanks written by Pfc. Billy Tinker of Alliance, Neb., was read. It was decided to postpone the pic supper at the community center until May 26. Refreshments were served. Mrs. O. S Rich will be hostess to the meeting on May 22.

Singing at White's Chapel.

There will be singing at White's Chapel Community Center Sunday afternoon, May 14, at 3:30. Everyone invited to attend.

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mostly Australians, still fighting in the inland sections of Malaya.

Other Sikhs told of being beaten frequently with sticks and rifle butts and of seeing their comrades put to death because they were ill.

Lance Naik Gurman Singh related in this respect:

"A close friend of mine reported to me the death of Havildar Bahadur Khan. He had become ill and apparently the Japanese decided against wasting time and medical supplies on him.

"Bahadur Khan was given an injection and he died almost immediately. The same thing was done to at least 14 others that I know of in the same camp."

The prisoners were forced to build roads, repair airdromes and dig slit trenches for the Japanese.

(Associated Press correspondent Olen Clements said in a story from Momote airfield in the Admiralty Islands that Punjab and Sikh troopers told from their hospital cots of cruelties at the hands of the Japanese.

(Of the original 9,500 prisoners in the group, 1,200 died from lack of medical attention and malnutrition, he said, and 300 others were down with malaria. For almost three years, they said, they lived on nothing but two spoonfuls of rice and salt a day.)

M'CAIN

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for the states March 6.

eral weeks was in hospitals in Naples and North Africa. He left

Pretty Tough.

"It's pretty tough—going 30 days without a shave or bath as the front line infantry does and being under constant fire—but we are going to win for we know we are right and the loyal backing of the home folks is helping us win," he said.

"Good home written letters—cheerful letters—no hard luck stories—the soldiers have their own troubles without having to read about yours—these cheerful home written letters—they mean a lot to the men on the firing line," the sergeant said in urging more letters be written to the soldiers.

Going to Win.

"We are going to win—but don't get the idea it is going to be easy—there is a lot of hard fighting ahead yet—the Germans are able and willing to fight and they are fighting hard—if they continue to fight like they have for the past few months it is going to be a long hard row," the sergeant warned those that might think an easy victory is just ahead.

Sgt. McCain has resided in Navarro county since he was six years of age and was employed at the Corsicana Cotton Mills when he went on active duty.

ITALIAN POW

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prisoners of war formerly held at Lordsburg, N. M., Fort Bliss, Montecello, Ark., Ruston, La., and Hereford, Tex. They have promised to serve at any place designated, including overseas, and to obey all orders or regulation issued by American military authorities, beging subject to disciuplinary action under the articles of war, just as American soldiers are.

Italians in the service units will wear the American uniform, but with plain buttons instead of the U. S. Army buttons. On their left sleeves they will wear a green brassard with the word "Italy" in white block letters. Officers will wear the American enlisted man's uniform, but with proper Italian insignia.

Officers will receive pay corresponding to rank, and Italian enlisted men will be paid $24 a month, of which they will receive $8 in cash.

Headquarters of the service units will be at Fort Wadsworth, N. Y., with Brig. Gen. John M. Eager in command.

Those Italians whose loyalty is questioned, and those not volunteering, will remain in prisoner of war camps where they will be engaged in agriculture and other labor as in the past.

NAMES OF CORSICANANS ON BOMBER PLANE RAIDING JAPS IN PACIFIC THEATRE OF WAR

A group of Corsicana citizens—in spirit and name—have made 34 successful combat missions aboard the bomber plane "Mary" in the Pacific theatre of operations.

This information from Tech.Sgt John W. Bays, Jr. U. S. army Air Forces, now stationed in the Marshall Islands, in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bays, 1539 West Third avenue.

The sergeant explains that recently while inspecting a number of planes he noted names of Texans inscribed on a plaque on the bomber, including the following from Corsicana:

Thomas A. Denbow, James Robert Joiner, Jeff Davis Parker, Bill W. Long, Frank H. Robertson, Ben Atwell Wood, Louis N. Weaver, Robert Grant Watts, John E. Teague, William H. Stewart, Robert O. Spain, Virbert Willie Elban, Obert Temple Hardin, Roy Lee Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Fouty, Mrs. Bess Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wooley, Gilford Bob Natham.

According to the sergeant, the ship has completed 34 missions and is still going strong, bringing the entire crew back after each mission.

He said in his letter that the inscription accompanying the names stated that the people whose names were placed on the plaque desired to accompany the crew in spirit and wished them good hunting and lots of luck.

On the left side of the ship appeared a picture of a girl and the name, "Mary." Sgt. Bays said he didn't think the crew was a bit superstitious as the last three figures of the number of the plane were 913.

Since visiting his parents last summer, Sgt. Bays has served in Hawaii and the Gilbert Islands. A veteran of three year's service he has been in the Pacific theatre since last October.

In one of the recent bond drives here the Palace theatre conducted a campaign, allowing each bond buyer to have his name placed on a bomber. These names reported by Sgt. Bays are presumed to have resulted from this event sponsored by the theatre.

POSTMASTERS

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postal employes, and said the cost of this overtime had jumped from $10,396,420 to $67,557,000 in fiscal 1944.

"The waste of public money is indicated, on the reports available, at around $60,000,000 annually," Reed's report declared.

In the light of this, he said, the recommendation made last week by a joint senate-house conference committee that postmasters' salaries be raised was an "astounding proposal to regard public officers, who have been negligent and derelict in their duty, with an increase in salary."

Reed said the postoffice department estimated the proposed increases would amount to $6,012,210 a year.

Postmasters now receiving $1,100 to $2,000 would get a 20 per cent boost, those receiving $2,000 to $4,000 would get 15 per cent more; between $4,000 and $5,000, 10 per cent, and between $5,000 and $7,900 five per cent. No increase would be provided for postmasters receiving $8,000 a year or more.

Maydell Weatherby And Wm. J. McKie Married in Austin

Mrs. G. H. Weatherby announces the marriage of her daughter, Maydell Weatherby, to Air Cadet William J. McKie, son of Mrs. Ben W. McKie. The wedding took place May 4th at the First Methodist church in Austin, Texas, with the Rev. R. S. Tate officiating.

Mrs. McKie will continue her studies in the University of Texas and Cadet McKie wil report to Dallas as his next assignment.

Corbet Girls Plan Camping Outing

Plans made for the summer included a camping trip on June 27, which was decided upon during a summer activities discussion at the Corbet girls' 4-H club meeting May 2. Mrs. Berry, sponsor, led the program. The next meeting will be on May 16.

Friends of Johnny Garitty will be interested in knowing that he is now taking his advanced training in the U. S. Army Air Forces at Mission, Texas.

Mrs. Byron F. Arnett, the former Ever Lanner Scaff, has joined her husband, Cpl. Arnett, Dodge Army Air Field, Dodge City, Kas. They will reside at 1208 West Vine street in Dodge City.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT
War Finance Division
Washington

April 19, 1944.

Corsicana Daily Sun
Corsicana Semi-Weekly Light
Corsicana Texas

Gentlemen:—

The Vth War Loan drive will be launched June 12 and extend through July 8. In this effort America is faced with the most gigantic war financing program the world has ever known. $16,000,000,000 is the total quota—$6,000,000,000 of which is to be raised from individuals.

A large volume of sponsored newspaper advertising with its broad and effective coverage among all individuals throughout the nation is absolutely essential to the success of this, the greatest of all financing efforts.

Reaching—and exceeding, if possible, the quota for sales to individuals is not only of supreme importance in the financing of our war effort, but it is also most essential in the nation's fight against inflation.

Throughout the history of America, newspapers have always answered the call in every fight to maintain freedom and our American way of life. The nation needs your help more for the coming Vth War Loan drive than ever before.

The Treasury very greatly appreciates the splendid patriotic support that newspapers and sponsoring businesses have given in this vital war financing effort, and your full cooperation with the tough job ahead will be most valuable.

Sincerely,
S. GEORGE LITTLE,
Special Consultant
War Finance Division.



This advertisement prepared under the auspices of the U. S. Treasury Department and the War Advertising Council

There being no Government Funds available for this important advertising campaign it puts the responsibility of making this Bond Drive a success up to the newspapers and the sponsoring business interests.

ADMINISTRATION IS ENDORSED BY DEMO COUNTY CONVENTION

UNINSTRUCTED DELE^A-TION NAMED TO ATTEND STATE MEETING AUSTIN

By PAUL MOORE.
Daily Sun Staff.

Allegiance to the Democratic party, sending an uninstructed delegation to the state convention, and an endorsement of the Roosevelt administration featured the Navarro county Democratic convention at the courthouse Tuesday morning. A. F. Mitchell and R. R. Owen, both of Corsicana, were elected temporary officers and later were made the permanent officers. P. M. Gladney, chairman of the county Democratic executive committee, called the convention to order. The temporary officers were elected without opposition. Dr. J. C. Blair of Kerens was appointed sergeant at arms, but declined, then Chairman Mitchell appointed Sheriff Cap Curington.

Nine Precincts Represented.

Accredited delegations from only nine of the 48 voting precincts answered the roll call—Wards 2, 3 and 4 in Corsicana, Corbet, Dawson, Richland, Frost, Kerens, Barry, Blooming Grove, Mildred and Zion's Rest. A number of representatives from other precincts where presidential conventions were not held were denied seats in the convention.

The credentials committee, composed of L. W. Ashmore, Corsicana, chairman; O. L. Albritton, Corsicana; Jack Thompson, Corsicana; G. H. Campbell, Richland; Jim Davis, Dawson, with County Chairman Gladney.

The committee on permanent organization was composed of S. J. Miles, Corsicana, chairman; George W. Boyd, Corsicana, and W. S. Price, Kerens.

The resolutions committee appointed by the chairman was composed of H. R. Stewart, chairman; Mrs. Glynn M. Johnston, Jack Thompson, J. S. Murchison, all of Corsicana, and A. T. Watson, Barry.

Convention Delegates.

Following is the delegation to the state convention as selected by a committee composed of Harry Burke, Corsicana, chairman; Dr. J. C. Blair, Kerens; J. W. Richards, Richland; J. L. McCulloch, Dawson, and C. W. Taylor, Corsicana, with the above committee then added by the convention:

L. W. Ashmore, J. S. Murchison, both of Corsicana; Miller Reid, Blooming Grove; W. E. McKinney, Mrs. W. D. McKinney, Mrs. Glynn M. Johnston, Jack Thompson, Will Thompson, all of Corsicana; R. T. Watson, Barry; D. H Bell, Barry; M. M. Groggan, Richland; R. D. Mabry, Kerens; Jim Davis, Dawson; Mrs. G. E. Mitchell, Corsicana.

Richard Mays, J. N. Edens, Mayor John C. Calhoun, Travis Fullwood, W. Art Martin, A. F. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Jr., O. L. Albritton, J. F. Smith, Ed Rittersbacher, Otis Rector, Joe E. Butler, Clifford Brown, F. W. Smith, all of Corsicana; W. V. Harrison, Frost.

Resolutions.

The resolutions returned to the convention floor and adopted pledged allegiance to the Democratic party, working toward winning the war and the peace that follows, pointing out that it was to the best interests that the delegates to the state and national conventions be uninstructed and that the delegation vote as a unit. The committee report was passed, but there were votes against it.

Dr. E. B. Lowery of Blooming Grove said he opposed an uninstructed delegation and said some had said it was better for an uninstructed block so as to be better able to trade. He asked the question as to what would there be to trade, except Roosevelt? W. E. McKinney, in answer to Dr. Lowery's question, explained that there was no question but that Roosevelt would be renominated, but if the Texas delegation was hog-tied, the delegation could do nothing to further the interests of the state in the selection of a vice presidential candidate. He said that if anything happened to Roosevelt, "we don't want to turn the presidency over to Wallace."

Favors Administration.

Mr. Akers countered with the observation that 12 years ago the country was bankrupt and he favored the administration.

Dr. Lowery made a motion from the floor to endorse the Roosevelt administration, which later was reduced to writing and submitted to the resolutions committee. Chairman Stewart later reported back the committee did not make any recommendations in the matter and passed it back to the floor of the convention.

Calls for a vote and "question" were made, but W. V. Harrison, Frost school superintendent, speaking on the question, declared that more than 200 boys from his immediate vicinity were in the army and that he had rather entrust their fate to Franklin D. Roosevelt and his staff than any living man under the sun.

Praises Roosevelt.

Continuing, the Frost educator pointed out that at the end of the last World War, America sent a school teacher (Woodrow Wilson) to Europe who said America was interested in the heart of the world, and he came back, and broke his health in the interest of that ideal, but that America said in effect that she was more interested in her pocketbook and stomach than in the world's welfare. He said that Roosevelt was schooled by Wilson and also was interested in the heart of the world.

Again saying he had rather trust the fate of the future to him (Roosevelt), than to send someone to Europe after this war without ideas—it would be necessary to send millions back to die in another quarter of a century, he stated.

"We don't want to send a message to Berlin and Tokyo that our Army Chief is discredited in Navarro county", he stated.

J. B. Shaw of Frost said there was not a person in the world today with the influence of "our president."

Hand Picked Delegation

Secretary R R. Owen admitted that "those in control" of the convention had decided on a handpicked delegation to be sent to the convention free to do what it thought best. He had hoped to avoid that (resolution endorsing the administration), and asserted the war was being fought by the generals and admirals.

Turning to another portion of his talk, Owen said the only difference between the Democrats and Republicans was the stand on the tariff, and then attacked the President for not trying to change the "Damnable tariff laws."

"Roosevelt is the best Republican in 25 years", Owen said and his remarks in condemning Roosevelt for the Supreme Court question and Montgomery-Ward cases brought applause from certain sections of the convention. He charged that the brainpan of the South was solid asserted that the South had the right to control its own elections, would have the negro in the primaries, and then appealed for the South to defy those who vote "the solid South."

Chairman Mitchell asserted that he served 24 months in the other war and had five nephews in the present conflict, and declared he was as patriotic as any person, and referred to a letter from a kinsman that he said contained the information that a majority of the 36th Division Texans had been killed.

Says Guard Sacrificed

Mitchell declared he did not endorse everything that had been done and didn't expect anyone else did. He charged that the Texas National Guard had been sacrificed by the regular army.

Several were seeking to gain the floor, the chair refused to recognize them and considerable confusion ensued, until a motion by S. J. Miles passed to stop all discussion. A standing vote on the endorsing the Roosevelt Administration passed 21 to 16, then a roll call was ordered by the chair with the result that a 29-24 endorsement resulted.

How they voted on the Roosevelt endorsement motion:

For: Barry, 2; Blooming Grove, 4; Corbet, 1; Dawson, 7; Zion's Rest, 1; Kerens 7; Mildred, 2; Frost, 5. Total 29.

Against—Ward 3, Corsicana, 10; Ward 4, 6; Ward 2, 6; Zion's Rest, 2; Richland 3 Total 27.

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lies, whose losses were not disclosed.

The largest number of single front casualties—6,100 killed—was inflicted on the Japanese in their attempt to force the Imphal plain on the Indian frontier. Casualties there and at Kohima, frontier base to the north, numbered 8,000 in the two months the enemy has been attempting to invade India.

Today's communique said Gen. Stillwell's tank-supported Chinese forces had swarmed through two more villages east of the Mogaung valley in their drive on the Japanese bases of Mogaung and Myitkyina.

No Major Activity Yesterday

No major activity was reported yesterday in the Kohima neighborhood, the communique said, but fighting continued on the outskirts of the base where Allied forces improved their positions.

Infliction of casaulties on "superior enemy parties northeast and southeast of Palel" 25 miles southeast of Imphal, was mentioned in the announcement along with the enemy occupation of an evacuated position on the Palel road where the Japanese are making cnotinued attempts to gain the pass leading into the Imphal plain.

Appearance of Japanese troops in the Iril valley northeast of Imphal was reported also in the announcement that British forces had captured a position eight miles east of Kanglahongbi, between Imphal and Kohima.

The two new villages captured in Gen. Stillwell's Mogaung valley drive were not named in the communique, which told also of an American-manned tank raid into enemy territory west of the Mogaung valley.

Remaining in enemy territory for six hours, the tank force silenced heavy anti-tank fire before withdrawing without suffering losses.

CHINA

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added emphasis on the possibility of a general Westward drive toward the old walled city of Sian in Shensi Province, natural gateway to Szechwan and the Provisional capital at Chungking.

The communique announcing that the enemy had crossed the Yellow river said bitter fighting was raging as the invaders attempted to enlarge their bridgehead. The possibility was seen that the Japanese might attempt to cut off the flow of reinforcements to the battlefield and sever the Chinese escape route by dynamiting some of the numeroue railway tunnels West of Loyang.

The Chinese high command described the Japanese operations in Honan Province as "a large scale offensive" and declared that everywhere fighting was increasing in intensity. Units of at least six Japanese divisions have been identified in the fighting, as well as numerous other elements, a communique said.

Nothing comparable to the present Japanese operations, at least in amount of territory involved, has developed since the invaders captured Hankow, then the capital of China, in the fall of 1938 after a bloody campaign which resulted in the removal of the Chinese Government to Chungking.

ITALIAN AERIAL

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bombers kept up their attacks on bridges and viaducts on the main railway line between Rome and Florence while fighter-bombers and light bombers hit similar targets south of the Italian capital.

In attacking the Wiener Neustadt aircraft factory and an airfield near Vienna, a force of between 250 and 500 Flying Fortresses and Liberators fought their way through approximately 120 enemy fighters near the target area.

Escorting fighters knocked down 11 of the Germans, it was officially announced, while the bombers bagged an additional number not immediately totalled. Many German planes also were destroyed aground on the Vienna airfield, it was announced.

The total of 33 allied planes lost included 29 bombers and three fighters on the mission into Austria and one RAF Wellington on the night foray against Budapest.

Houston Traffic Judge Here

Cleo G. Miller, night traffic judge in Houston, was in Corsicana Wednesday night and Thursday en route home from Dallas where he had attended the Texas safety meetings. Miller was reared in Kerens and served several terms as county and criminal district attorney of Navarro county before going to Houston several years ago.

The Muskellunge fish sometimes reaches a weight of 60 pounds.

School bus mileage was cut 19 per cent between November, 1942, and April, 1944.

Rites Held Thursday Afternoon For Baby; Burial Zion's Rest

Funeral services for Annie Faye DeChaume, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. DeChaume, who died at the P. and S. Hospital Wednesday, were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Zions Rest cemetery. Rev. R. E. Cauble conducted the rites.

Surviving are the parents, four brothers, a sister and other relatives.

Corley's Funeral Home directed the arrangements.

PACIFIC WAR

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more villages in their drive on the key railroad towns of Myitkyina and Mogaung in north-central Burma. Dive bombers "in great strengh" are helping Allied defenders fight off the Japanese invaders of India around Imphal and Kohima.

Central Pacific planes raided Ponape again and also struck isolated Japanese positions in the Marshalls. Ponape, Caroline Island guardian to Truk, 440 miles to the west, has ben hit every day since March 31 with two exceptions.

By The Associated Press.

The war of nerves spread to the Pacific today, with the Tokyo radio speculating that the "lack of major engagements in the Pacific during the last few months" probably is the lull preceding major events.

The Japanese commentator said American forces are preparing for an offensive from the Aleutians, where they have "constructed four large airbases" and have at their disposal "some hundred planes, naval forces and some five to six infantry division including paratroops and airborne troops."

He said the Japanese defenders of the northern Kurile islands were preparing against American offensives from the Aleutians and predicted that the area "will one of these days become a main war theater."

CHUNGKING, May 11.—(AP)—Mrs. Chiang Kai-Shek, wife of the Chinese generalissimo, and President Sun Fo of the Chinese legislative yuan, were in the Chinese capital today, and not, as the German radio reported, engaged in negotiations in Moscow.

Mrs. Chiang will broadcast from here to America tomorrow night. President Sun Fo attended to his government affairs in the city as usual during the day

Earlier, the Berlin radio broadcast a report that Mrs. Chiang and Sun Fo had arrived in Moscow to conduct negotiations on frontier problems and on relations between the Shungking government and Chinese communists.

AERIAL

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Britain poured some 4,500 tons of bombs into Europe.

The air ministry announced that RAF heavy bombers in strength last night attacked railway wards at Lens and Lille, France, and at Ghent and Courtrai, Belgium, while other bomber formations struck at military objectives on the French invasion coast.

Speedy Mosquitos carrying 4,000-pound bombs also raided Ludwigshafen, Germany. In other aerial operations, the communique said, British planes laid mines in enemy waters.

From all of the overnight operations, the ministry announced, 15 planes were reported missing.

It was the second straight night that the RAF sent heavy bombers against systerious emplacements the Germans have thrown up to attempt to block allied invasion land forces.

Night Attacks.

The air ministry said the big night-flying bombers concentrated on one coastal objective this time whereas on the previous night seven were hit by as many task forces, suggesting that whatever the objective might have been it was considred of prime importance to get such a sizeable dose of explosives.

Yesterday was the first time in 17 days that a full day has passed without Britain-based heavy bombers hitting some part of Hitler's domain.

However, American and British medium, light and fighter-bombers gave the people of occupied territory no surcease from the aerial onslaught. Planes flying from British bases spent the day methodically blasting at rail centers and airfields in France nad Belgium as the massive aerial softening-up for the coming invasion progressed.

To date at least 64 different rail targets in Germany and the occupied countries now have been bombed—some of them several times—in 152 attacks made day and night since allied air units began working on these supply lines March 2.

Captain Johnson Gets DSC.

U. S. ARMY AIR FORCES HEADQUARTERS In England, May 11.—(AP)—The Distinguished Service Cross was awarded today to Capt. Robert S. Johnson of Lawton, Okla., who has 27 enemy planes to his credit, by Lt. Gen. Carl A. Spaatz, commander of the U. S. Strategic Air Forces.

Johnson was cited for "extraordinary heroism" in the March 15 raid on Brunswick, Germany, when he led his flight of nine planes in an attack on a formation of 40 German fighters about to attack American bombers and shot down three of the enemy planes himself.

FRENCH ROADS

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Called in last night as window dressing for a Berlin broadcast on anti-invasion preparations, an astrologer intoned:

"The seventh day after the full moon often sees casualties and death." Monday is the seventh day after the full moon.

Another German broadcast said German sharpshooters were being equipped with special rifles fitted with a new telescopic sight to "pick off the commanding officers of each wave of invading troops as they hit the beeches."

On the British side of the channel, meanwhile, it was disclosed that emergency units are poised and ready to go into action on D-Day to evacuate and provide shelter and food for non-combatants of English coastal towns that are used as invasion springboards. Details about the units were kept secret.

The U. S. Forestry Service estimates that 90 per cent of the forest fires in 1943 were manmade.

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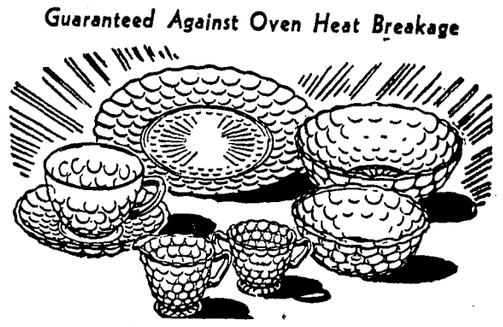
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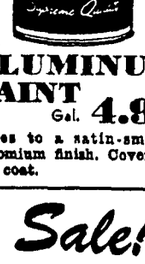
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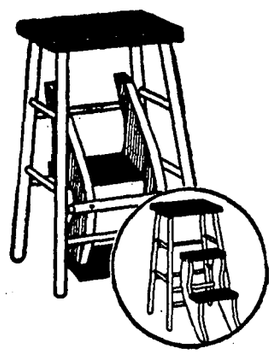


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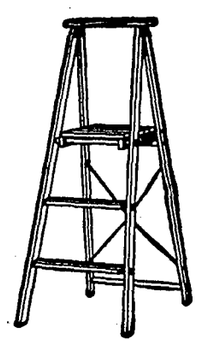
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LIEUT. JAMES STEEN IN TEMPLE HOSPITAL, RECEIVES CITATION

TEMPLE, May 10.—(AP)—Lieut. James P. Steen of Crowley, La., who has twice received the Purple Heart and has been recommended for the Silver Star, today received a citation at McCloskey General Hospital from Lieut. Gen. Mark Clark, commanding general of the Fifth Army in Italy.

Lt. Steen, already is getting used to a new artificial leg here at the army's largest amputation center.

"As a member of the Ranger battalion," the citation reads, Lt. Steen "on Sept. 12, 1943, led a harassing party of 30 men into Sala, Italy, where one bridge was destroyed, one headquarters annihilated and two enemy bivouac areas heavily hit and scattered. Through exceptional leadership ability, he succeeded in bringing his men back to friendly lines without casualties."

Lt. Steen was in the first assault wave that took Gela, Italy, where his plation stormed and knocked out coastal batteries. He was with an assault group that took and held the left flank in the Salerno beach action and later with the group that took and held Chuinzi Pass.

At Chuinzi Pass, Steen was wounded in the hand and leg by mortar fire but remained in action while his unit stopped 12 Nazi counter-attacks in ten days.

Later his unit spearheaded a drive for a British armored regiment. While clearing a path through a mine field, the night preceding the attack, the explosion took his right leg.

The lieutenant applied a tourniquet and lay where he fell for four hours until found by a fellow officer, Capt. Charles Shunstrom of New York City. At the risk of his own life, Captain Shunstrom removed Steen from the mine field and carried him to a British field hospital. He later was seriously wounded and now is reported a prisoner of war in Germany.

Lieut. Steen's mother lives at Farmersville, Texas.

NAVARRO COUNTIANS IN EUROPEAN THEATER GO "BATTLE SCHOOL"

Three Navarro countians, stationed in the European theater of operations with the United States army, are going to "battle school" in a Ranger training course and recently gave a colorful and grim demonstration of their weapons and of their ability to handle them under extreme difficulties, before a group of Allied staff officers. The men are:

Pvt. Alfred L. Nichols, Corsicana; S-Sgt. William E. Miller, Dawson; Pvt. Jesse L. Nicklas, Ennis; S-Sgt. Nolen Vest, Route 1, Frost.

The Ranger training course was originally intended to prepare small groups from each unit to carry out special missions, however, this preparatory training proved so successful that it has been adopted as regular drill for all American infantrymen as an "invasion exercise."

Former Cadet At Corsicana Field Fatally Injured

Aviation Cadet Harvey H. Chapin, 24, Class 44-H, Flint, Mich., was killed in a crash Tuesday at Majors Field, Greenville, according to information received by Lieut. Louis R. Renfrow, public relations officer, Corsicana Field.

Receiving his primary pilot training at Corsicana Field, Cadet Chapin was associate editor of Flying Lines and left here April 17 for Majors Field for his basic training. He is survived by his wife and child, also of Flint.

Details of the fatal accident were not available here.

Peggy Gowan of Kerens was recently elected vice-president of the Aglaian Club at TSCW, Denton, and will assume her new office in the fall.

Financial Condition Of Navarro County As Reported by Auditor

Following is the financial statement as presented Monday to the Commisioners court by E. Y. Cunningham, county auditor:

General Fund

April 1, 1944 Bal.	$ 10,479.78
April Receipts	2,055.30
	12,535.41
Disbursements	4,790.41
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 7,744.68
Approved Budget	$ 91,410.00
Disbursements	16,992.03
Balance Available	$ 74,417.97

Salary Fund

April 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 6,143.58
April Receipts	5,845.48
	11,989.06
Disbursements	6,721.52
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 5,267.54
Aproved Budget	$ 87,361.32
Disbursements	24,168.12
Balance Available	$ 63,193.20

Jury Fund

April 1st, 1944, Bal.	$ 18,867.85
April Receipts	80.35
	18,948.20
April Disbursements	360.00
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 18,948.20
Aproved Budget	$ 24,208.00
Disbursements	1773.80
Balance Available	$ 22,434.50

Permanent Improvement Fund

April 1st, 1944 Bal.	5,126.30
April Receipts	80.35
	5,206.73
Disbursements	102.65
	$ 5,104.08
Aproved Buldget	$ 9,000.00
Disbursements	343.44
Balance Available	$ 8,656.56

Road and Bridge Fund

Precinct No 1

April 1st, 1944 Bal.	2,105.22
April Tax Receipts	174.78
April Auto Regis.	21,025.48
April Terracing	26.50
	23,331.03
April Disbursements	3,122 61
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 20,209.32
Aproved Budget	$ 33,785.00
Disbursements	9,785.05
Balance Available	$ 23,999.95

Precinct No 2

April 1st, 1944 Bal.	*798.20
April Tax Receipts	142.64
April Auto Regis.	17,158.68
Miscellaneous	1.00
Gasoline Tax Refund	100.48
	$ 16,604.60
Disbursements	3,549.35
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 13,055.25
Aproved Budget	$ 27,571.66
Disbursements	11,868.08
Balance Available	$ 15,703.58

Precinct No 3

April 1st, 1944 Bal.	*2,524.71
April Tax Receipts	142.64
April Auto Regis	17,158.68
	14,776.61
April Disbursements	2,247.88
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 12,528.73
Approved Budget	$ 27,571.67
Disbursements	10,367.49
Balance Available	$ 17,204.18

Precinct No 4

April 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 2,064.85
April Tax Receipts	142.64
April Auto Regis	17,158.68
April Terracing	364.25
Apr Gas Refund on tax	142.97
	19,873.39
April Disbursements	2,623.66
May 1st, 1944 Bal.	$ 17,249.63
Aproved Budget	$ 27,571.67
Disbursements	13,521.98
Balance Available	$ 14,049.69
Total Approved Budget	$116,500.00
Disbursements	45,542.60
Balance Available	$ 70,957.40
Cash on hand	$ 63.042.92

*Overdraft.

Emmett Cemetery Meeting Saturday

The annual meeting of the Emmett Cemetery association will be held at Emmett Saturday. A number of Corsicanans plan to attend. Many former residents of that community residing in all sections of the state generally return for the cemetery association meeting.



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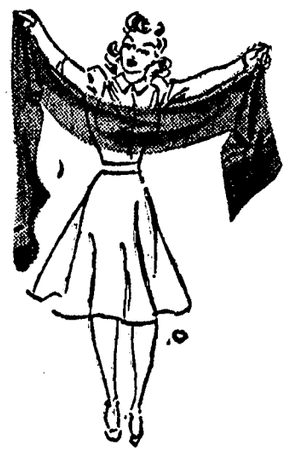


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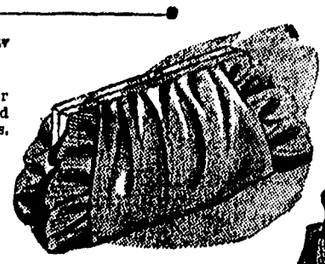
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European area:

Armstrong, First Lt. Raymond I.—Mrs. Elsie R. Armstrong wife, Plainview.

Boudreaux, Pfc. Andrew A.—Mrs. M. Boudreaux, mother, 1134 Proctor street, Port Arthur.

Bounds, Staff Sgt. Pershing M.—Miss Geraldine E. Bounds, sister, Route 2, Joaquin.

Boyd, Sgt. James T.—Mrs. Millie Boyd, mother, Star Route 4, Lamesa.

Brannon, Tech. 4th Gr. J C.—Mrs. Emma Brannon, mother, Box 126, Milford.

Elvin, Pvt. Flurry F.—Mrs. Dollie F. Elvin, wife, 826 South 3rd street, Abilene.

Freeman, Pfc. Jesse C.—Mrs. Patsy R. Freeman, wife, 1310 Portland, Plainview.

Hester, Staff Sgt. William O.—Mrs. Willie Marie Hester, wife Italy.

Hill, Sgt. Waldo V., Jr.—Mrs. Roxie L. Hill, mother, 1906 Gurley, Waco.

Jacob, Tech. 5th Gr. Walter H.—Mrs. Ida A. Jacobs, mother, Route 2, Winters.

Miller, Second Lt. Robert B., Jr.—Mrs. Mavis M. Miller, wife, Box 103, Hamilton.

Perez, Tech. Sgt. Marcos—Mrs. Felix P. Perez, wife, Pearsall.

Ryes, Pfc. Concepcion—Mrs. Margarita Reyes, mother, San Benito.

Sosa, Pfc. Carlos—Mrs. Marcela Sosa, mother, Raymondville.

Thorn, Cpl. Woodrow W.—Mrs. Mary Gullatt, sister, 906 5th street, Wichita Falls.

Pacific area:

Alaniz, Pfc. Domingo R.—Mrs. Ashnono R. Alaniz, mother, Sinton.

Andrade, Pfc. Salvador Z.—Mrs. Refugia Z. Andrade, mother, 303 Martinez, Del Rio.

Angermiller, First Lt. Theodore R.—Mrs. Eula Mae Angermiller, mother, Sabinal.

Arevalo, Pfc. Librado C.—Mrs. Delfina Arevalo, mother, Route 1, Box 26, Falfurrias.

Barrett, Staff Sgt. Lindal L.—Mrs. Murrie Barrett, mother, Rotan.

Bassett, Cpl. Jack E.—Edd H. Bassett, father, Route 2, Palestine.

Bates, Pfc. Willie R.—William D. Bates, father, Orange.

Beard, Pfc. William R.—Mrs. Emma C. Beard, mother, Amarillo.

Chopelas, Staff Sgt. Pete—Mrs. Spero Coseones, fother, 437 Austin avenue, Port Arthur.

Dikeman, Capt. Matthew M.—Mrs. Bird J. Dikeman, mother, Temple.

Dorsett, Pvt. William T.—Mrs. Virginia L. Dorsett, wife, Brownsville.

Elliott, Cpl. Richard L.—Mrs. Eula Mae Elliott, mother, Route 1, Turkey.

Fanning, Pfc. Charles W. D.—Mrs. Madge L. Fanning, wife, 110 West Paschal, Hillsboro.

Garcia, Pvt. Jose D.—Mrs. Ramon D. Garcia, mother, Falfurrias.

George, Pvt. Loyd W.—Mrs. Francis George, mother, Box 622, Rotan.

Gilmore, Staff Sgt. Lloyd W.—Mrs. Beulah Gilmore, mother, Route 3, Merkel.

Harrison, Tech 4th Gr. Glen O.—James F. Dowell, grandfather, Dorras Route, Rotan.

Harvey, Tech 5th Gr. Orbia C.—Mrs. Addie J. Harvey, mother, Rising Star.

Knox, Sec. Lt. Leonard L.—Mrs. Josephine P. Knox, wife, 2317 Byron street, El Paso.

Leal, Pfc. Rafael C.—Juan Leal, father, Brownsville.

Murphy, Pvt. James O.—Mrs. Jessie Jenkins, mother, Eastland.

Nava, Pvt. Robert A.—Mrs. Josefa A. Nava, mother, 1725 Antelope, Corpus Christi.

Parker, Tech. 5th Gr. Eulin—Mrs. Ida Parker, mother, Route 2, Box 75, Dawson.

Patterson, Staff Sgt. Martin B.—Mrs. Mary Patterson, wife, 3516 Douglas street, El Paso.

Peak, First Lt. Howard W.—Mrs. Nita H. Dahlgren, mother, 3320 Hamilton street, El Paso.

Pritchard, Pvt. Walton D.—William M. Pritchard, father, 3707 Mt. Blvd., El Paso.

Ramirez, Pvt. Manuel L.—Mrs. Delores Lopez, mother, 551 West 3rd street, Austin.

Smith, Cpl. Ruben M., Jr.—Ruben M. Smith, Sr., father, Box 184, Littlefield.

Soto, Pfc. John J.—Mrs. Lorenza Soto, wife, 3406 Madera street, El Paso.

Stevens, Pvt. Martin—Mrs. Patsy P. Stevens, wife, 3424 Rivera street, El Paso.

Tantillo, Staff Sgt. Victor C.—Mrs. Ella Wolfgang, mother, 1803 31st street, Galveston.

Todd, First Lt. Clyde O.—Mrs. Ester M. Todd, wife, 1308 Howze avenue, El Paso.

Towns, Capt. Charles F.—Mrs. Lois M. Towns, wife, 1217 Magoffin avenue, El Paso.

Yancy, Pfc. Hubert H.—Mrs. Joan M. Yancy, wife, 331 West Highland blvd., San Angelo.

Young, Pvt. Leolan—Mrs. Audra Sanders, mother, 408 East Wabash, Electra.

NEWS FLASHES

A "Winning Spirit"

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NAVAL RECRUITING OFFICER SCHEDULED HERE NEXT WEEK

Chief F. A. Wade from the U. S. navy recruiting substation, Room 212, postoffice building, Waco, will be in Corsicana on Wednesday, May 17, at the postoffice between the hours of 2 p. m. to 5 p. m., with information for men and women about navy enlistment.

Chief Wade says the navy offers the young men a mighty good proposition at this time. Be sure to see him even though you are not interested at present. There is no obligation.

RITES LATE TODAY FOR L. TREADWELL, WHO DIED MONDAY

Funeral services for Lawrence Theadwell, age 69 years, who died here Monday morning, were planned for 5 o'clock Wednesday afternoon from the Corley Chapel with Rev. E. F. Bohmfalk and Dr. John W. Bergin conducting the rites. Burial was in Oakwood cemetery.

He had been a resident of Corsicana since 1902 and was an outstanding lawyer. He was also active in church and civic affairs.

Surviving are his wife, a son, two daughters, two sisters, a grandson and other relaties.

Butler Announces Series of Meetings

To obtain suggestions and counsel for the year's program from the key men of the 71-county area of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce region, Joe E. Butler, president of the regional chamber, has issued an invitation to business leaders in the area to meet him in a series of six district conferences in May and June scheduled as follows: Brenham, May 24; Mexia, May 25; Jacksonville, May 29; Livingston, May 30; Greenville, June 6, and Pittsburg, June 7.

VENEREAL DISEASES QUARANTINE UPHELD BY APPEALS COURT

AUSTIN, May 10.—(AP)—The court of criminal appeals today reiterated that a section of state law permitting quarantine against veneral disease is constitutional.

The decision was given in a case from Jefferson county.

Said the court:

"This right (quarantine) has been upheld and the legislation construed to meet emergencies of the diseases named in the legislation named.

"The right of the government to quarantine against contagious and communicable diseases is as vital to human existence as is the law of self-defense."

State law permits local health officers to quarantine persons who have or are "reasonably suspected of having" veneral diseases if in the opinion of the local officers or the state board of health or its executive officer the quarantine is necessary for the protection of public health.

Crew Member Of Flying Fortress German Prisoner

Staff Sgt. Leamon E. (Cotton) McCulloch, 21, U. S. Army Air Forces, is a prisoner of war of the German government, according to a telegram from the war department received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leamon L. McCulloch, Purdon, Route No. 1.

A veteran of twelve combat missions over enemy ocucpied territory, Sgt. McCulloch was first reported missing in action over Poland Feb 24, 1944. He is an assistant engineer and waist gunner on a B-17. Recently he wrote his parents of his ninth mission saying it was the toughest and that Forttresses were falling all around him.

A '42 graduate of the Blooming Grove high school Sgt. McCulloch has been in the service since December 1, 1942, and has been overseas since November 1943, stationed in England.

Demonstration On Canning For 4-H Club

A demonstration on "Canning What You Produce" was given by Miss Eva Williams, assistant demonstration agent, at the Roane 4-H girls club meeting May 5 in the home of Joy Knotts. Miss Williams also showed members how to can pineapple, and how to cold pack vegetables.

REMOVING HIGHWAY SIGNS DECRIED BY MAINTENANCE MAN

Highway signs are put along highways for the safety of the public and to direct people traveling the highways, A. J. Dooley, maintenance state highway department superintendent, pointed out Wednesday afternoon while discussing the removal and damaging of signs along Highways 22 West of Corsicana and Highway 287 Southeast of Corsicana.

The maintenance superintendent explained that this practice over a large section would represent the wasting of a considerable amount of state funds. At one section, all signs for six miles Southeast of Corsicana were removed.

The superintendent does not want to file charges or have anyone arrested in the matter and requests those responsible to desist from the practice.

Case Submitted To Criminal Appeals

The case of Ostell Rice, negro, given 25 years in the local district court on a rape indictment several months ago, has been submitted on brief for both parties in the court of criminal appeals, according to the Associated Press.

J. C. Roe, county attorney, who prosecuted the defendant, said the case had been submitted by the defens attorney without arguments.

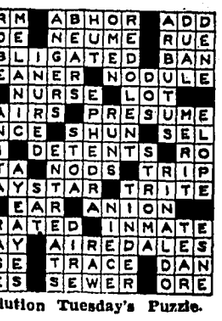
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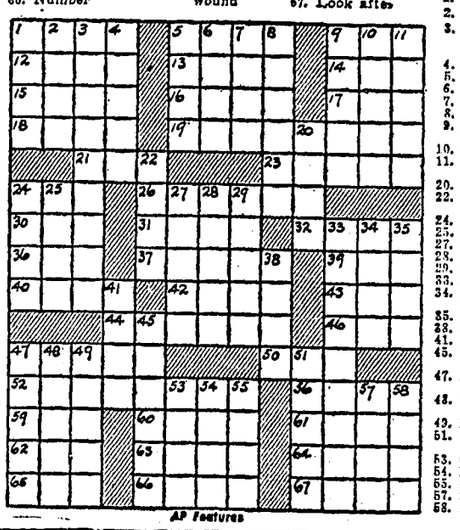
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9. Mournful
12. Declare
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19. Small apron
21. Seat in church
23. More lately acquired
24. Timber tree
26. War fleet
30. Late: comb. form
31. Loud noise
32. Mining car
36. Number
37. Covers with a hard surface
39. Self
40. Fencing sword
42. Isinglass
43. Weaken
44. Slave
46. Anger
47. Orchid meal
50. Urchin
52. Regard too highly
58. Not as much
59. Trunk of a felled tree
60. Having an offensive odor
61. Peruvian chieftain
62. Edible tuber
63. One of the Roman Fates
64. Mark of a wound
65. Salt
66. Appear
67. Look after

DOWN

1. Grotto
2. Above
3. Sound-magnifying device
4. Rub out
5. Insect
6. One opposed
7. Oldest member
8. Run aground
9. Himalayan antelope
10. Cognizant
11. Restrain through fear
20. Exploit
22. Twist out of shape
24. Poker stake
25. Percolate
27. Wanders
28. Song thrush
29. Betel palm
33. Dwelling house
34. Edible seaweed
35. Act out of sorts
38. Sailor
41. Always
45. Protective garments
47. Individual performances
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57. Scrutinize
58. Precious stone

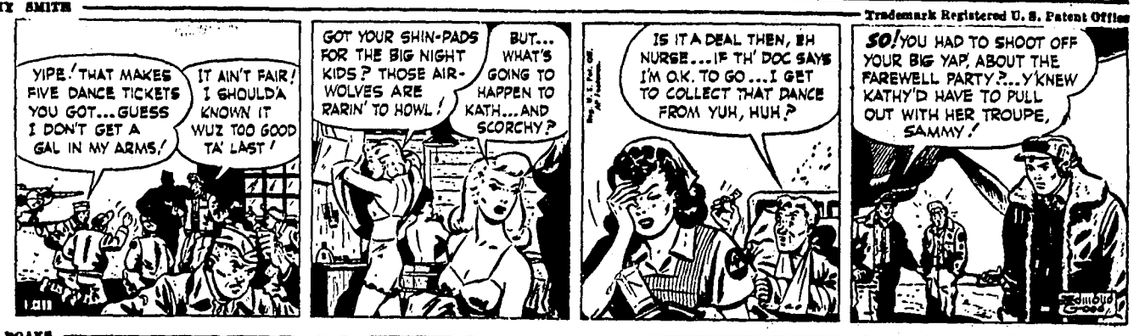


Solution Tuesday's Puzzle.



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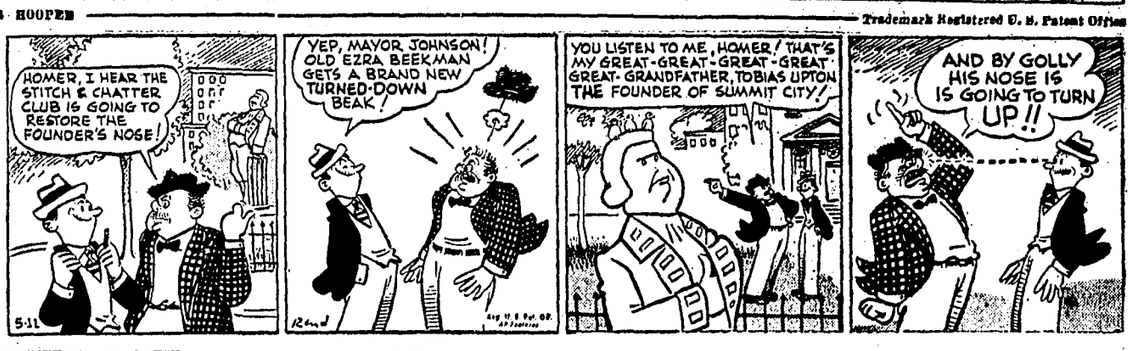
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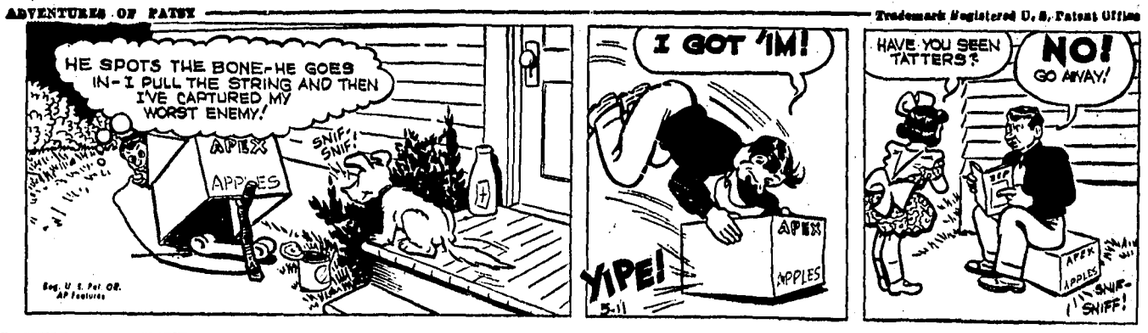
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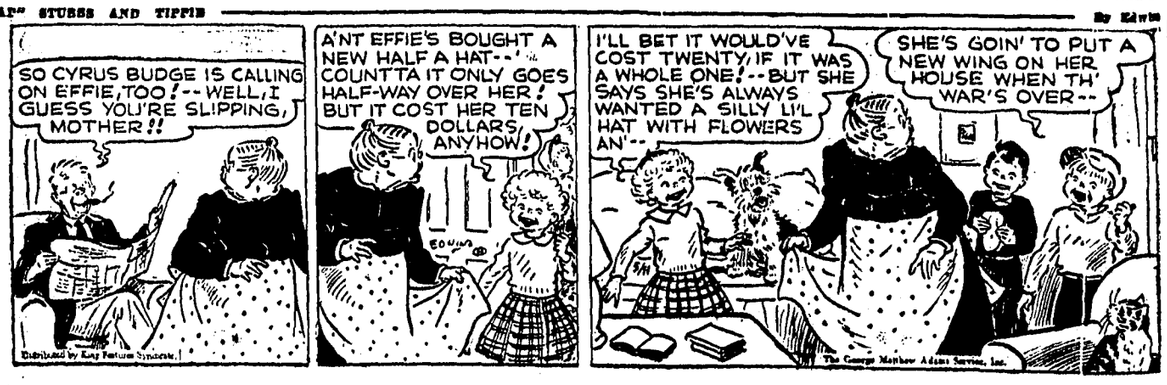
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Information From Navarro County Rationing Board

Following are the trade point values on beef items which became effective on May 4, 1944:

Beef, carcass or side with K and S in, grades AA, A, B, and C, also stags and block bulls, 5.0; primal cuts forequarters, 3.3; hindquarters, K and S in, flank on, 6.9; hindquarters, K and S out, flank off, 8.2; chuck (regular square rib), 4.4; round, 6-7 sirloin end, 9.2; trimmed full loin, K and S out, 9.5; trimmed short loin, K and S out, 9.8.

Arm chuck (square chuck and foreflank), 3.8; back, 5.0; crosscut chuck 3.2; triangle or rattle, 2.6; boneless beef, carcass meat (all grades except cutters, canners, and bologna bulls) 7.1; hindquarters (excluding cutters, canners and bulls), 9.9; tenderloin (all grades excluding cutters, canners and bologna bulls), 12.0; fabricated beef cuts (excepting cutters, canners, and bologna bulls), boneless, rump (butt), 11.0; chuck, boneless, neck son, 5.4.

Clod, 8.0; rib, boneless, 10.0; rib oven prepared 8.8; rib, regular roll or rib eye, 15.0; rib, spencer roll, 10.0; round, boneless, 11.6; round, gooseneck, 10.8; round, rum and shank off, 9.5; knuckle, 11.0; top round, (insides), 13.0; bottom round, (outsides), 130; sirloin butt, boneless 13.0; sirloin bottom and top butts, boneless, 13.0; steaks, short loin, 12.0; strip, bone in, ten inch cut, 13.3; strip, boneless ten inch cut; 16.8; tenderloin whole or part, all grades, excluding canner, cutter, and bologna bulls 12.0.

(Hamburger definition is the same as now defined on the consumer chart).

The principle of adding points to raw point value to determine point value or ready-to-eat meat items remains unchanged for raw items having a point value other than zero. All county cured dried pork products have a zero point value. All retailers, wholesalers and primary distributors are required to keep a record of present inventory in pounds of all items whose point value is affected by changes. Such a record is required under the order and may be needed when and if higher point values are place on items now valued at zero and dealers seek inventory adjustments.

Although many items are now voint valued at zero, they are still considered rationed foods and all record keeping and reporting requirements for these foods remain unchanged. Any meat item appearing on regular trade point chart not included in the above list has zero point value

ZERO POINT VALUE ON PORK ...It is feared that some consumers may be inclined to conclude that rationing is over and throw away their rationing books since pork items are listed at zero point value. Following is a memorandum from the Washington OPA office which gives the reasons behind the reduction to a zero point value:

"1943 slaughter of beef was approximately 17,700,000 cattle. It now appears that 1944 slaughter will be some 20,000,000. In 1943 95,000,000 hogs were killed, the 1944 kill will be approximately 100,000,000 or over. The hog run continues to be heavy and it seems that there will be very little let up in the slaughter of hogs even during the summer months. As has been explained to us (Washington office) there are only three things that can be done with this meat, either keep it on the farm and feed it on the hoof, kill it and store it under refrigeration, or consume it. Due to the critical feed situation and the lack of storage space, there is only one thing left to do, and that is consume it.

"Washington fully expects sometime later on in the year, perhaps in the fall, that points will again be restored on these items, a lot depending on what develops in the meanwhile."

UNGRADED BEEF .. Housewives are asked to not purchase beef items unless the butcher has indicated, by posting, the grade of each cut of beef. Many stores in this region have not posted signs on grade B and C meats and are selling these grades as grade A and are receiving grade A prices for the meat.

SPARE STAMP 37..Spare stamp 37 in book 4 is the stamp to be used in applying for canning sugar.

It was announced from the local ration board headquarters Thursday that Red Stamps U-8, and W-8, in Book 4, will become valid on June 4th 1944, instead of May 21.

Market Report

Local Markets

Cotton 20.70
Cotton seed $56.00

Cotton

Texas Spot Markets

DALLAS, May 11.—(AP)—Spot cotton 20.75; Galveston 20.73; Houston 20.78.

Grains and Provisions

Fort Worth Cash Grain

FORT WORTH, May 11.—(AP)—Wheat No. 1 hard nom 1.71 1-2 77.

Sorghum No. 2 yellow milo or No. 2 wite kafir, per 100 lbs nominally 2.40-77.

Oats, corn and barley at northern shipping point ceiling prices, plus freight.

Livestock

Fort Worth Livestock

FORT WORTH, May 11.—(AP)—Cattle 1,600; calves 600; cattle and calves slow and weak; few common to medium grade steers and yearlings 9.50-13.00; beef cows 8.50-11.00; canner and cutter cows 5.50-8.50; bulls 7.50-11.50; good and choice fat calves 12.50-14.00; common to medium butcher calves 8.75-12.25.

Hogs 2,800; fairly active and steady; good and choice 200-270 lb butcher hogs 13.55; 275-300 lb kinds 11.00-12.00; 150-195 lb averages 9.50-13.00; packing sows 10.00-25; stocker pigs at 5.00-8.5.

Sheep 1,500 shorn lambs steady to 25c lower; aged sheep 25c down; spring lambs steady; common to medium shorn lambs 10.00-12.00; spring lambs 13.50 down; ewes and aged wethers 6.00-50.

FUNERAL RITES FOR O. E. HOWARD WERE HELD ON THURSDAY

Funeral services for Owen Earl Howard, age 51 years, who died at his home here Tuesday, were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Corley Chapel. Rev. J. H. Baldridge conducted the rites and interment was in Oakwood cemetery.

Surviving are his wife, four sons, three brothers, a sister, two grandchildren and other relatives.

Pallbearers were Raymond Wilson, J. A. Penney, Walter Beaton, John Haynie, Arthur Boldin and Lloyd Chambliss.

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Henry Ellis Haley, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Haley, left Tuesday for Dallas where he will be inducted into the United States Navy as a radio technician. A chemical engineering student at the University of Texas, Haley had made an exceptionally fine record being the highest ranking student in the College of Engineering. He is a 1942 graduate of the Corsicana high school.

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Staff Sergeant James D. (Sonny) Poindexter, U. S. Army Air Forces, has arrived safely overseas according to a cablegram received by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Poindexter, Sunday afternoon.

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Pvt. Frank Dunton has been transferred from 1st MPTC, Aviation Second Battalion, 7th Guard Squadron, at Barksdale Field, La., to Brooks General Hospital, Ft. Sam Houston, where he will remain until June 26th, at which time he will enter John Ealy Hospital at Galveston as a government medical student.

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Capt. and Mrs. R. L. Hobbs are spending a leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hobbs, Rice. Capt. Hobbs is a marine fighter pilot and has been serving in the Southwest Pacific. A brother, S. Sgt. Cecil Hobbs, Los Vegan, Nev. is also home on furlough.

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Pvt. Billy Kirk stationed at Camp Haan, Calif., has been visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Kirk. He left Friday for a short visit with his sister, Mrs. J. L. Lennon, of Lake Jacksoon, Texas. Pvt. Kirk will report to Camp Haan for his next assignment.

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A recent issue of the, Topeka (Kas) Capitol carried a story written by the crew of an American bomber making the first raid on Berlin. Marshall J. Thixton, graduate of the Corsicana State Home, was the bomberdier. Thixton is well known here and was a member of the Sunday School class of St. John's Episcopal church taught by Robert Watt. The story records the thrilling experiences of this intrepid group of flyers "the first over Berlin."

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Mrs. Nellie Pike has received word from her son, Corp. James M. Pike, who was wounded in actio nin Italy some time ago, stating that he had recovered sufficiently to return to his company. He is in Italy with the 36th Division. He was a member of the National Guard whe nit was federalized in 1940. He has been awarded a Purple Heart.

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Coxswain H. C. (Sonny) Beckham, U. S. Navy, returned to his station at San Pedro, Calif., Wednesday after a twelve day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beckham. He received his rating of coxswain April 25. Yeoman Altha Spears, U. S. Navy, also a guest in the Beckham home prior to a visit to her home in Atoka, Okla., returned to San Pedro where she is also stationed.

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The 20th Ferrying Group, Ferrying Division, ATC, Nashville, Tenn., announced today that James M. Wrenn, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wrenn, Brownwood, Texas, and Lester J. C. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Tarbet, Houston, were appointed Flight Officers in the U. S. Army Air Forces on May 8, when they completed the officer candidate unit course at the Nashville base.

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The promotion of Vern L. Gibson from the rank of sergeant to staff sergeant was announced recently somewhere in England by Major General Hugh J. Kerr of the United States strategic air forces in Europe. Sgt. Gibson has a wife and child, Mrs. Madgeline V. Gibson, and Alverna Joyce, in Corsicana. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert G. Gibson make their home in Ravina, S.D.

Mrs. G. L. Denbow has just received a V-mail letter and a Mother's Day card from her son, Cpl. Vernon Denbow, who is with the Fifth Army, fighting in Italy. Cpl. Denbow states that he is in good health and that so far he has not been wounded in any way. He sends his regards to all his old Corsicana friends.

Darris L. Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coleman, Teague, has been promoted to the grade of sergeant, according to an announcement from his overseas station. In October of 1942 Sgt. Coleman joined the armed forces at Corsicana and was sent to Sheppard Field for basic training. For the past 13 months he has served as a non-commissioned officer in charge of a technical supply section at an air base in the Aleutians. Darris has been awarded the Army Good Conduct Medal and is also authorized to wear a bronze star on his Aisatic-Pacific ribbon for participation in activities relating to the Tittu and Kiska operations. Prior to entering the service, Sgt. Coleman was employed as a shipping and receiving clerk by the Oil City Iron Warks, Corsicana. He is a graduate of Navarro High school, Navarro.

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Sgt. Wilbur W. Wilson has returned to Bruce Field, Ballinger, Texas, after spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Wilson, Route 3. The Wilsons have three other sons in the service, Pvt. Lonnie Wilson is stationed somewhere in India, Pfc. Sam Wilson is somewhere in Italy, and CGS-2 J. T. Wilson is in California. Jack Wilson is expecting to leave soon for the navy.

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Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Price, 803 South Fourteenth street, are their two Marine sons, Pfc. Thomas Price, San Diego, Calif., and Pfc. Clifford Price, a veteran of fighting in the Southwest Pacific who has been back in the United States since February. Pfc. Thomas Price has a wife and two sons living in Corsicana. Both Marines are up for promotions to the rank of corporal. They are both very anxious to see all their old friends, but regret that their brother, Cpl. Billy Price, Jr., USAAF, somewhere in Italy, cannot be reunited with them.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carlos B. Love have received notice that their son, Carlos O. Love, had been promoted from second lieutenant to first lieutenant. Lieut. Love is a graduate of Corsicana high school and is now stationed at Robin Field, Ga.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Langston, 901 South Twenty-ninth street, have received a letter from their son, Corp. Otis E. Langston, who is stationed somewhere in Australia. The letter was dated April 24 and Corp Langston said that he realized now, more than ever, why we are in the war, and he added, it is not to have a good time. Corp. Langston sends greetings to his friends here.

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sely and accurately when decisions are to be made.

When he heard about plans for the attack on the Marshall Islands, at Kwajalein, early this year, he called in his naval aide, Capt. John Ginrich and said, "Johnny, let's go with them." they went. They had two weeks on a battleship during the action and they went ashore on Namur Islet irto territory where men still were being killed by enemy snipers.

Had Gun Station

On the battleship Forrestal had a gun station like everyone else. One day a five-inch shell whistled through the rigging directly over his head. He was up at 4:30 every morning and shared sandwiches and "jamoke" with the men. Usually he went barehead, and he wore a Marine outfit.

A year and a half before he had made a much more important trip. That was immediately after American forces invaded Guadalcanal, and the Japanese took a heavy toll of the cruiser force, thereby almost isolating thousands of Marines on the Island.

Forrestal arrived in the South Pacific a week later, realized the threat of disaster and began to send orders back to Washington to rush out supplies. Then he came back himself and demanded that more be done.

One notable leader told him that he was suffering "localitis"—a word applied to those who failed to see the Global war in perspective. Forrestal replied that somebody would have a bad case of "localitis" in the seat of his pants if the Marines were lost in Guadalcanal. The supplies began to go out as he desired.

Social Revue

Corsicana friends will be interested in knowing that Dean E. J. Kyle of the agricultural college at Texas A. and M. will represent the United States when delegates of 21 American republics convene this week in Neww York City to discuss postwar agricultural problems.

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Mrs. Cletus Wray has received a message from her husband, Capt. Wray, who is stationed somewhere in England stating that he had been promoted to Major. Major Wray was stationed at Corsicana Field in 1941, at which time he was a member of Class 42-B. Mrs. Wray the former Miss Margie Lockett, and her six-weeks old daughter, Barbara Dell, are residing in Corsicana at the present time.

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Capt. and Mrs. Richard Dookum and baby daughter, Mary Lynn, have arrived in Corsicana for a visit with Capt. Dockum's mother, Mrs. M. S. Dockum, en route to Camp Hood, where they will reside.

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Pvt. Tom McPherson has been transferred to U. S. Field Artillery following the conclusion of his ASTP training at Hendricks College, Conway, Ark., and is now stationed at Camp Bowie.

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Roy L. Power who has been in Civil Service overseas for five years, and acting as a superintendent and junior supply officer of an overseas air depot for two years, arrived home Saturday to report for the armed services. Before reporting for duty he will visit his mother, Mrs. Bell Schitoskey, and sisters, Mrs. Isaac K. Levy and Mrs. Nell Haney. Power has been employed at supply depots in the Panama region, Trinidad, and Puerto Rico.

Courthouse News

District Court

The jury for the week was excused.

The grand jury resumed its work Thursday morning after a day's recess.

County Court

Two negresses were adjudged of unsound mind Tuesday afternoon.

Probate Court

The will of Mrs. J. A. Houston, was filed for probate, and C. L. Tillman asked to be named executor.

Marriage Licenses

Andrew W. Cira and Jeanette Mari Vallera.

W. C. Harris and Ima Beatrice Rampy.

Jimmie D. Whiteley and Mattie B. Whiteley.

Sheriff's Office

J. A. Sowell assumed his duties as chief deputy sheriff Wednesday morning under appointment of Sheriff Cap Curington. The new officer had been in the mercantile business in Corsicana for many years and is well known. Sowell, succeeds P. B. Davis, resigned.

Sheriff Curington went to Dallas Wednesday morning as a witness before the Federal grand jury.

Justice Court

Two were fined on intoxication charges by Judge Hayden Paschall. Two violations of the prohibition law complaints were filed before Judge Paschall.

Two were fined on speeding charges and one for operating a truck without a commercial license by Judge A. E. Foster.

One was fined on a drunkeness charge, one for improper registration and one for operating a truck without a commercial operator's license by Judge Hayden Paschall.

One was fined on a vagrancy charge, one for intoxication and seven for infractions of the highway regulations in Judge A. E. Foster's court.

Four were fined on charges of infraction of the highway laws before Judge Hayden Paschal.

Judge A. E. Foster assessed fines against a person charged with speeding and another for operating a truck without commercial license.

Warranty Deeds

Charlie Thomas Kessinger, et al, to Sam Williams, Lot 5, Block 83, H. and T.C.R.R. Co. Addition, Corsicana. $10 and other considerations.

Mattie B. Kessinger, et al, to Sam Williams, Lot 5, Block 83, H. and T. C. R. R. Co. Addition, Corsicana. $600 and other considerations.

Lena Mae Overton to Brooks Smith, et ux, part of Lots 3 and 4, Block 84, Kerens. $3,500.

John Edmond McClung, to Mary Elizabeth Holsey, et al, a lot 90x100 feet in Block 316, Corsicana. $6,000.

R. E. Arnold, et ux, to Ed Welch, et ux, part of Block "C", Corsicana. $2,000.

Thomas C Curtis et al to Mrs. Edith Curtis, lots 1, 2 and 3, block 136, San Diego, Texas, and part of lots and 0, block 86, Corsicana, $1 and other considerations.

Mrs. Ada Merrell to S. A. McClintock, lot 1, block 5, Purdon, $100 and other considerations.

Executor's Deed.

J. N. Garitty et al to Southern Wholesale Grocery Company, lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6, block 233, H. & T. C. R. R. Co. Addition, Corsicana, $8,500.

Administrator's Deed.

Claude W. Weeks, administrator of the estate of Ella Weeks, deceased, to Euphema Richey, 118.9 acres Francisco Procello survey, $2,810 and other considerations.

Royalty Deed

Frank Hopkins to Flora B. Miller, 1-32 or 225 acres of the Isaac Bird One-Third league survey. $10.

Royalty Contracts.

L. C. Vernon, et ux, to J. B. Daniel, 1-16th of 153.32 acres of the Hiram Bush survey. $10.

W. R. Weskin to Ted Weiner, 1-32 interest in 112.48 acres Hiram Bush survey, $10.

J. B. Daniel to Ted Weiner, 1-32 interest in 153.32 acres Hiram Bush survey, $10.

Ted Weiner to T. A. Wolf et al 1-64 interest in 153.32 acres Hiram Bush survey, $10.

Ted Weiner to T. A. Wolf et al, 1-64 interest in 112.48 acres Hiram Bush survey, $10.

Ted Weiner to Sam Weiner, 1-64 interest in 153.32 acres Tiram Bush survey, $10.

Ted Weiner to Sam Weiner 1-64 interest in 112.48 acres Hiram Bush survey, $10.

Oil And Gas Leases

W. G. Holleman, et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 113.6 acres of the T. B. Harding survey. $10 and other considerations.

Mrs. Jennie Stockton to J. E. Schultz, 148 acres of the Morris Webb survey $148.

W. J. Tramel, et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 150 acres of the John Duncan survey. $10 and other considerations.

T. M. Shelton, Sr., et ux, to J. E. Shultz, 65 acres of the J. W Moore survey. $10 and other considerations.

T. M. Shelton, Sr., et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 63 acres of the J. W. Moore survey. $10 and other considerations.

T. M. Shelton, Sr., et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 57 acres of the J. W. Moore survey. $10 and other considerations.

W. J. Tramel, et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 23 1-2 acres of the John Duncan survey. $10 and other considerations.

W. J. Tramel, et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 20 acres of the John Duncan survey. $10 and other considerations.

W. J. Tramel, et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 50 acres of the John Duncan survey. $10 and other considerations.

T. M. Shelton, Sr., et ux, to J. E. Schultz, 30 acres of the John Wooten survey. $10 and other considerations.

Mrs. Gladys Pauline Todd, guardian, to Ted Weiner, 50 acres H. Bush survey. $10.

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Swap

For Sale or Trade 55

FOR SALE—Farmall regular tractor with equipment, planted this year's crop and has been overhauled. GUS HUTCHINS, Barry, Texas, Route 1.

Merchandise

Articles for Sale 30

FOR SALE—Good hardwood barrels. Call at Corsicana Dr. Pepper Bottling Co., 410 North Beaton St., Corsicana.

FOR SALE—Chicken brooders and small chicken coops, good price. See at ROSS LUMBER CO., 212 East 7th avenue, Corsicana, across from Bus Station.

I WANT TO SELL my crop on the Tatum farm, Highway 22. All corn planted and plowed, cane sowed, and cotton land rebedded; also have 23 acres of average pasture, 92 acres in all. Come and see. HARREL GRAY at the farm five miles west of Corsicana on Highway 22, Route 1, Corsicana.

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FOR SALE—Building to be moved off the lot at Richland, 14 by 22, outside sheet iron, inside shiplap; four windows, two doors. E. F. MINOR, Corsicana. Phone 1313-W.

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Radio and Musical 34

FOR SALE—One small table model battery set with 1000 hour battery, one small 5-tube electric table model radio, one Majestic cabinet; all in first class condition. 1409 West 10th avenue.

Seed, Feed Implements 35

FOR SALE—Roido Rowden cotton seed, first and second year. B. F. FREEMAN, Route 1, Corsicana.

CHOICE inspected Porto Rico sweet potato slips at B. CARLS, 2 miles northeast of Corsicana at Petty's Chapel.

FOR SALE—10 ft. Case power binder in good condition; also team mower. See MAC WATKINS, Barry, Texas.

FOR SALE—1 bale of first year Watson cotton seed, and 1 bale of Rowden, $1.50 per bushel. See M. W. LONG at Corbet, Texas.

FOR SALE—An eight foot Deering-McCormick binder; good condition. JIM TAYLOR, Phone 1731 or 671, Corsicana.

FOR SALE—First year improved Hurley Rowden cotton seed. JOHNNIE PATTERSON, Route 2, 1-2 mile off end of Black Hill slab.

FOR SALE—Good clean John Deere tractor, Model H, have only made two crops with same; will sell right. CLYDE CROCKER, one mile East of Blooming Grove.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Riding cultivator, in good condition. 324 S. 30th St., Corsicana.

FOR SALE—W. C. Allis Chalmers tractor, complete with two row equipment, in first class condition. Inquire at FARMERS SUPPLY COMPANY, 312-14 North Commerce St. Phone 146, Corsicana.

TRACTOR FOR SALE—Used Ford tractor, with complete equipment. Good condition in every way. $1150.00. L. A. CAPPOCK, 4 miles northwest of Emhouse, P. O. Box, Emhouse, Texas.

FOR SALE—Arkansas Rowden cotton. O. W. IVIE, near Corbet. Mail address Pursley, Texas.

FOR SALE—Bryant Mebane Cotton Seed from block seed $1.50 per bu., or Bryant Rowdin Cotton Seed (first year) $1.50 per bu. FRANK CARTLIDGE, R. 5, Corsicana, Texas.

Political Announcements

Names listed below are candidates for the offices designated, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries:

REPESENTATIVE (58th District)
J. R. Donnell.
Hayden Paschall.

DISTRICT JUDGE.
A. P. Mays.

CRIMINAL DISTRICT ATTORNEY
J. C. Roe (second term).

SHERIFF
C. C. Sands.
C. O. (Cap) Curington (re-election)
Walter Hayes
George T. Brown.

DISTRICT CLERK.
E. B. (Pet) Dawson.

ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES.
Halley Blake (re-election).
Lige Armstrong.
W. A. (Bert) Crews.

COUNTY JUDGE.
E.D.(Ditt)McCormick(re-election)
Pat H. Geraughty.
Lonnie L. Powell.

COUNTY CLERK.
Mable Wilkinson (re-election).
J. S. (Shelby) Hicks.

COUNTY TIEASURER.
W. J. (Jinks) Bryan.
Joe E. (Blind) Daniel.
George T. Bradley.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE Precinct 1, Place 1.
D. C. Bray.
W. H. (Pop) Johnson.

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, Precinct 1, Place 2.
A. E. Foster (second term).

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 1.
Frank D. Harris.
Jim Taylor (re-election).
Gene Highnote.
Jack Megarity.

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 2
L. M. Seale (second term).
C. M. Fitzgerald.
W. P. (Bunk) Layfield.

COUNTY COMMISSIONER Precinct 3.
Fred M. Copeland (second term).
W. M. (Bill) Burns.

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT No. 4.
W. K. (Kirk) Barnes.
Drew Gillen (re-election).
F. B. (Frank) Taylor.
H. M. Nicholson.
J. M. (Marshall) Tatum.
C. L. Tillman

CONSTABLE PRECINCT No 1. T. J. (Tom) Roe (second term).

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Announcements

Lost or Strayed 3

LOST—Saturday in the Rio Theater, Man's brown billfold with discharge papers of ROBERT MARRIOTT and gasoline T book of I. L. MARRIOTT, route 2, Corsicana. Keep money in purse as reward and return to Daily Sun Office, Corsicana.

LOST—War Ration Book o. 4.—J. N. GRIMMETT, Route 1, Corsicana, Texas.

LOST—Tire, 5:25x18, mounted on black wire wheel, north of Black Hills Methodist church Sunday. Reward. Notify DR. H. B. LOVE, Corsicana.

LOST—Ration Book No. 4. Finder notify FRED COPELAND, Purdon, Texas, Route 1.

FOR SALE—30 barrel overhead tank with tower, pump, casings, and gasoline engine. Also 36 Buick coach. Call 1501 after 6 p.m. or apply 1307 West 7th avenue.

LOST—White face cow and calf. Cow branded P C. Notify PAUL CHANDLER at Eureka, Texas.

LOST OR STRAYED from T. B. Derden's farm at Cryer Creek two 2-year-old steers, branded O with bar under. Finder please notify T. B. DERDEN and receive reward. Signed T. B. Derden.

LOST—Four year old brown mare mule. Scared on both shoulders. Left my place March 19. Notify JEWELL McCARTER, Corsicana, Texas, Route No. 5.

LOST—Red steer fresh dehorned, branded O on left hip and E on the side, last Friday. Please notify KEELING CASH GROCERY, Wortham, Route 1, and receive $5 reward.

Wanted 7

WILL PURCHASE
Regular or F-20 Farmall, C. C. Case Row-Crop; Model A John Deeres, W. C. Chalmers,—or what have you? Describe, price and write. HERBERT WILSON, Denton, Texas.

WANTED—Will rent small pasture or will pay so much per head each month for good pasture. Six or eight head of cattle. HENRY B. WALKER, Corsicana. Phone 739.

WANT TO BUY farm tractor; give full description and price. Mail to TRACTOR, P. O. Box 622.

MAGAZINES WANTED — Any kind bought by weight, but we assort them and pay much higher prices for those we can retail. We especially need April and May Good Housekeeping, Cosmopolitan Red Book, True Story and similar; True Detective and similar and many others. We buy old newspapers if tied in bundles; also old rags. DONNELL BOOK STORE, 115 W. Collin St., Corsicana.

Used Cars

Automobiles for Sale 57

FOR SALE THIS WEEK — 39 clean Ford, $850.00; 37 Ford, runs good, $450; 37 Ford, $550; 36 Chevrolet, good buy, $425; 37 Chevrolet, runs good but runs good, $275; 31 Chevrolet, $75.—McMILLAN, 122 West 3rd avenue.

FOR SALE—30 Ford truck with 24 foot trailer. S. L. PEVEHOUSE at Frost, Texas.

FOR SALE—2 door 37 Ford sedan, good appearance and runs good, has 2 new tires. GUS HUTCHINS, Barry, Tex., Route 1.

GOOD BUYS THIS WEEK END—39 Ford, real clean; 37 Ford, real buy, $450; 38 Ford, runs good, $450; 36 Chevrolet, clean, runs good, $425; 37 Chevrolet, not real clean, $275.00; 31 Chevrolet, rough but will get you there and back, $75; 31 Ford Coupe, $125.00.—McMILLAN, 122 West 3rd Avenue.

Business Service

Mattress Maker 10

SPECIAL NOTICE—We will give a discount on all mattress work through the rest of April. We can make any kind of mattress you want, renovate or rebuild your old mattress—specializing in rebuilding inner spring beds, relaying Sealy mattresses, making feather folds, and repairing gliders. We have also a complete stock of new mattresses on hand at all times. One day service. LANE MATTRESS FACTORY, 1006 S. 15th St. Phone 1186; night phone 1028. A. M. Lane and Horace Hayes.

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CORSICANA MATTRESS FACTORY
C. H. Ramsey, Owner, 312 S. Main.

Miscellaneous Service 11

AUTHORIZED Service on G-E and Electrolux refrigerators. Parts and service on all makes of washing machines. Will pay highest cash prices on refrigerators and washing machines. BUCK'S APPLIANCE SHOP, next door to Ideal Theater. Phone 2000-W. A. A. (Buck) Copeland, owner.

Employment

Female Help Wanted 16

WANTED—Night attendant for invalid lady, nursing experience not necessary. Pay $25 week clear—room, meals and laundry provided. Phone 137, Corsicana.

WANTED—Woman, white or colored, for domestic work Steady job. Write HOUSEKEEPER, Box 622, Corsicana.

Male Help Wanted 17

WANTED—Tractor driver at once for farm work. Phone 033, Corsicana.

WANTED—Share cropper, corn up, cotton land bedded, garden. If you want something soft, don't apply. N. GREEN, 126 North Commerce St., Corsicana.

WOODCUTTERS WANTED—I am in need of some wodocutters and will pay $3.50 per cord, 7 miles north of Trinidad Highway 274. O. E. MELTON, Box 72, Trinidad, Texas.

WANTED—Farm hand who is draft deferred, capable of driving tractor. E. F. HAMMETT, Route 2, Dawson—five four miles north of Dawson, Texas.

Real Estate

FOR SALE

Nice cottage on big lot located in Kerens, Texas. $1250.

Nice cottage all conveniences and two lots just off North Beaton. $2250.

Good five room cottage and one lot West 9th Ave. $2000.

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Modern five room cottage near Robert E. Lee School. $3000.

Five room cottage only three blocks from Beaton St. $2500.

Nice modern three bedroom cottage North Beaton St. $4,500.

One of the nicest three bedroom cottages on west side. $6000.

Three small farms about five miles northeast Rice, 64 acres, no imp., $20 acre. 80 acres ordinary imp., $30 acre. 93 acres ordinary imp., $40.

175 acres good black land about seven miles north Corsicana. $75 acre.

One of the best 270 acre stock farms in the county, about six miles out, half excellent farm land, balance pasture. $60 acre.

160 acre stock farm, fair imp. on highway south Kerens. $50 acre.

219 acre stock farm near Drane, 100 acres native grass, $45 acre.

226 acre stock farm about six miles south Corsicana, $25 acre.

If you are interested in buying a home or have property to sell come see me.

A. R. LEWIS
No. 104 North 15th Street.
Phone 1174.

Farm Property 50

FOR SALE—Ideal stock farm—ideally situated on Corsicana - Hillsboro paved Highway No. 22, fifteen miles west Corsicana and one mile west Blooming Grove, 136 acres. Plenty shade, year round water, variety native grasses. Loan of $1300.00 with small annual payments can be paid off or carried to suit buyer. Immediate possession. For quick sale, $4000.00. CECIL JOHNSON, Grocebeck, Texas. Phone 117.

FOR SALE—150 acres southwest Blooming Grove. 100 acres Bermuda grass pasture. Balance in cultivation. Good fence, two tanks, two wells, windmill water system. Good improvements. $45 an acre. See J. B. WHORTON, Blooming Grove.

FOR SALE—Selling out, going into the army. 42 acre farm and cattle. See W. H BEEMAN, 1 mile west of State Home after 5:30 in the evening.

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Livestock

Baby Chicks 25

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Livestock for Sale 27

FOR SALE—Span young broke mules. Would purchase a good two wheel breaking cart. IVAN ROSENBERG, Corsicana, Texas.

FOR SALE—Registered Hereford bull, weight about 1400 pounds. COY CHRISTIE, Waco Highway at Retreat School.

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey bull 3 1-2 years old. Priced right. See NATHAN CROUCH at J. M. Dyer Company.

LITTLE SON FORMER CORSICANAN DIES IN NEW IBERA, LA.

Riant Cecil Love aged five years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Love of New Iberia, La., died Wednesday morning within a short time after undergoing a tonsillectomy, it was learned here by relatives. The body, accompanied by his parents, passed through Corsicana early Thursday, en route to Hydro, Okla., where burial will take place at 10 a. m. Friday.

Mr. Love, the father, is the youngest son of the late C. E. Love and Mrs. Love of Corsicana, and Mrs C. E. Love, Guy Love and Mr. and Mrs. Lima Love joined the sad party here for attendance up the little boy's rites.

German Efficiency's Job Too Big.

WASHINGTON, May 11.—(AP)—Notwithstanding German efficiency in repairing damage, improvising communications and resorting to new tactics to preserve plane strength under unremitting aerial assault, the enemy is "gradually falling behind in all these processes," Secretary of War Stimson said today.

"That fact alone offers us sufficient encouragement, without magnifying the results of any one operation," he told his weekly press conference.

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GUARDIAN OF BEACHES—With the Fifth Army, Italy—On duty with a beach patrol unit near the Fifth Army front in Italy, Private James E. Baldwin (above) 812 North Main street, Corsicana, Texas, removes barbed wire enlargements installed on the beach by the Germans. (APS Photo from Fifth Army)

DECORATED AFTER COMPLETING 101 MISSIONS AGAINST JAPS IN PACIFIC THEATRE OF WAR

MARINE CORPS AIR DEPOT, Miramar, California, May 9 (Spl)—Marine Captain Richard L. Hobbs, 24, fighter pilot, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hobbs, of Rice, Texas, recently arrived here after completing 101 missions against Japanese forces in the South Pacific.

Awarded Air Medal

Captain Hobbs was awarded the Air Medal for his exploits in the Bougainville campaign, during which he strafed an enemy destroyer and strategic gun positions at Kahili. He completed three tours of combat duty while overseas with the well-known "Flying Deuces" Marine fighter squadron. He was a first lieutenant when awarded the Air Medal and has since been promoted to captain.

Operating from Empress Augusta Bay, Bougainville, which he had previously assisted in wrestling from the Japs, he got his only Zero February 13, over Rabaul, while flying with the escort for dive and torpedo bombers.

Spotted Zero

"After the bombers had completed their mission, we were returning to our rendezvous when I spotted a Zero glued to the tail of a Corsair," said Captain Hobbs in describing the aerial battle.

"Immediately, I pressed the attack and squeezed off a long burst that ripped into the Zero's wing-roots and cock-pit. The pilot probably was hit because the plane nosed over and crashed into the water."

During a fighter sweep over Raubaul, Captain Hobbs had a taste of near disaster when his plane was so badly riddled by enemy bullets that he was obliged to withdraw from the aerial battle.

Plane Crippled

"The Jap pilots gave a good account of themselves that day," he said. "My plane was pierced throughout the fuselage and wings by 20-mm. shells and smaller stuff. Luckily, I eluded them by hiding in a heavy cloud bank. I managed to fly the crippled plane home even though the instrument panel was shot up."



CAPT. RICHARD L. HOBBS
U. S. Marine Flyer.

Captain Hobbs revealed that his most recent encounter with the enemy occurred during the Japanese thrust at Empress Augusta Bay on March 8. He was in his plane, preparing to take off on a dawn patrol, when the first enemy shell plowed into the runway, sending shrapnel into the left wing and fuselage.

Shells Exploded

"I left the cockpit in a hurry," he said, "and jumped into a nearby hole, remaining there while 28 shells exploded on or near the airfield."

Captain Hobbs, a Texas A. and M. College graduate, won his wings and was commissioned at Corpus Christi, in December 1942. He was promoted to his present rank last January.

Food Preservation By Brining Shown To Mildred HD Club

Miss Vera Sneed, county demonstration agent, brought the latest information on food preservation by brining to the Mildred Home Demonstration Club meeting on May 8 in the home of Mrs. M. Sirman. Combining carrots, cauliflower, sweet peppers and other vegetables in glass and stone jars, and covering them well with a brine solution was the simple method used in the demonstrations.

The agent stated that brining was the only successful method of making cucumber pickles which are firm, tender, crunchy, and transparent. It was explained that alum, which is sometimes used as an aid in keeping pickles firm, was an astringent, and had a tendency to dry up the blood in the body.

Miss Sneed gave several helpful hints on some of the various methods of food preservation by canning, stating that plenty of food should be preserved to last from one season to the next. However, it was also brought out that scinetific tests have proven that food kept a longer period of time loses important vitamins and minerals which are essential to good health.

Mrs. B. Vinson, the seventh new member added to the club roster, was introduced by Mrs. M. Sirman, chairman of the expansion committee. Mrs. A. C. Choate assisted the hostess in serving refreshments of home-made ice cream and cookies. The club will eet with Mrs. Guy Buck, May 22, in her home at the city lake.

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VERBAL AGREEMENT FOR CONTINUATION HEALTH UNIT WORK

CITY AND COUNTY MUST PAY FIFTY PER CENT COST OPERATION

A verbal agreement that Navarro county would participate in the continuance of the Corsicana-Navarro county health unit to the amount of $5,000 if the schools and city of Corsicana would subscribe $2,000 and $3,000, respectively, was made Tuesday at a conference-meeting of the commissioners court and the advisory committee of the unit. This came after a number had discussed phases of the situation whereby the unit is to be continued. It will be necessary for the sponsoring agencies to pay for half the cost of the unit after July 1, this year, it was brought out.

Attended Meeting

Those attending the meeting other than the court and attaches were Dr. J. Wilson David, chairman of the advisory committee: Dr. Will Miller, acting director of the unit; Dr. W. T. Shell, Jr., city health officer; Mrs. L. A. Wortham, Mrs. W. K. Steele, J. C. Watson, county school superintendent; and Mayor John C. Calhoun.

Dr. David, who is also county terasurer, donating his salary to the unit, said that it was estimated that the services rendered by the unit were valued in dollars and cents at $93,141. He said a conservative amount would be $50,000. The city and county contributed $6,900 to the unit last year. The budget for the ensuing year will be $22,675, about $300 more than the year to end, June 30, with the city and county required to go 50-50.

Value to Community

Dr. Miller said the estimate of $93,000 value of the services rendered was too low, and did not include drugs and serums, or some 500 rehabilitated and enabled to go to the army, or hundreds now supporting their families. He also said it did not include health certificates required of food handlers, etc.

Commissioner Drew Gillen of Blooming Grove observed that there was not any question of any not being for it, but how to finance it.

Asks Aid of City

Commissioner Jim Taylor questioned Mayor Calhoun as to whether the city would increase its $2,600 appropriation, and he (the Mayor) indicated the commission might be willing to increase it to $3,000 as a temporary measure, but that he was not seeking to bind that body by his statement. He said he would be willing to recommend that action before he would see the unit fold up, and then suggested that the unit was much more important than many may think it to be. He said he believed the commissioners court had the power to levy a tax for that purpose, and it was suggested that the proposition be submitted to the people at the general election about six or seven-cent tax for the health unit, thereby putting it on a permanent basis

Commissioner L. M. Seale said that it was too important to health and "must go on."

A bond call for $10,000 maturing bonds, June 1, 1944, in Road District No. 1 was authorized.

County Judge Beatrice R. McCormick was authorized to sign an agreement to secure lead poison for grasshoppers with A. and M. College.

Victory Garden Yield Depends On Insect Control

A good yield from a Victory garden depends largely upon the gardener's success in controlling the insects which prey upon young, tender plants. A full growth of foliage, especially with potatoes, is necessary because the leaves are the means of conveying food and energy to the roots. Insects damage leaves by shewing or sucking the juices and control should be applied as soon as they appear.

Lead arsenate, used either as a dust or spray, is the most effective poison for pointo insects. According to Vera Sneed, county home demonstration agent, it gives protection for two or three weeks unless washed off by rain. Three tablespoonfuls of poison to one gallon of water makes a satisfactory spray and requires less of the poison than dusting. But Miss Sneed suggests that if the latter method is used the plants should be dusted liberally.

Cryolite may be used with safety for controlling cabbage worms until heads begin to form. The poison then should be changed to rotenone, which is harmless for human consumption. Cryolite may be dusted on the plants or used as a spray by mixing three tablespoons with one gallon of water. Applications should be repeated at weekly intervals.

The first generation of the squash bug is appearing on cucumber and squash vines. As a simple means of control, pick the adult bugs off the plants before they can hatch another brood There will not be many and they are easy to catch in the early morning or late afternoon. Then apply black leaf 40 according to directions on the bottle to dispose of the young. This should be done without delay. The bugs multiply as the plants grow.

Named For Pioneer Texan

HOUSTON, May 11.—(AP)—The Nicholas D. Labadie, a Liberty-type cargo vessel named for a pioneer Texan who devoted 30 years of his life to the welfare of Galveston, will be launched at the Houston shipbuilding Corporation Thursday afternoon.

Sponsor will be Miss Ethel Patman and Maid of Honor will be Miss Louise Legate, both oilers at the Houston shipyards.

Labadie, who moved to Texas from Ontario, Canada, in 1831, was a storekeeper and surgeon in the Mexican army and later a surgeon in Gen. Sam Houston's army. He served as interpreter when Gen. Santa Anna was captured.

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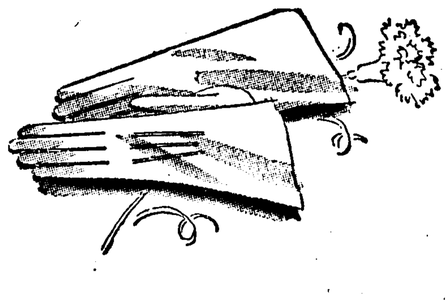
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